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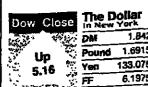
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AUSTRALIA

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This chair by Jean-Michel Wilmotte is part of Paris exhibition looking at 30 years of French design. In Arts/Leisure.

General News Educated women are sometimes too choosy. Singapore officials complain. Page 5.



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'Il Perturbante': Faint in Florence

By Mary Blume FLORENCE — In addition

the same time he or she often ins a feeling of being scrutinized, which causes anguish ac-companied by guilt — why are "Some feel they are being persecued."

for the disagio, or sense of un-ease, that characterizes the syn-drome. The city's historical center has no shops that sell ordinary objects from daily life --- vacuum cleaners, socks, photing and, to modern tourists.

cades, Florence is also socially a very closed city and it may be that this sense of exclusion rubs off even on mass tourists today.

Mario Biondi, who coined the

encounter with lead to panic.

group's findings will be pub-

Goethe and Henry James, says Dr. Magherini, also described the syndrome in Florence, while Freud himself, in plexing unreality on the Acrop-olis of Athens. The syndrome was named for the French novelist Stendhal not for reasons of alliteration but because, Dr. Magherini says, he was the first modern tourist. In his account of visits to Florence, Naples and Rome in 1817, Stendhal described the panic that overtook him in Florence while vis-

The Stendhal Syndrome, Dr.

Magherini says, is not to be confused with more familiar See STENDHAL, Page 2



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U.S.-Soviet

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. and Soviet defense offi-cials said Monday that they will form a joint working group to avoid dangerous inci-dents between superpower

exchange of visits involving warships, senior field and staff officers, military historians (Page 2)



Mexico Says Salinas Has A Wide Lead

By William Branigin Washington Post Service

MEXICO CITY - The Federal Electoral Commission, still releasing partial results from last week's elections, said Monday that the presidential candidate of the governing Institutional Revolutionary Party, Carlos Salinas de Gortari, held a wide lead over his oppo-

Opposition parties stepped up

Many in the government and party are saying Cuanhtémoc Cárdenas really won the vote. Page 4.

protests against alleged vote fraud. According to the semiofficial tallies released early Monday by the technical secretary of the electoral commission, Fernando Elias Calof the vote, followed by Cuauhiemoc Cárdenas of the center-left, with 29.1 percent, and Manuel Clouthier, a conservative, with 16.6

Mr. Clouthier, 54, conceded defeat Monday, saying, "I cannot af-firm that I have the victory." He added: "I find it impossible

to say which of the other contenders obtained the majority of votes. It is like we have been playing with a deck of marked cards."

Mr. Clouthier, the candidate of Party, or PAN, charged that the elections for a new president and national congress had been marred by "the biggest fraud in the history of Mexico," an effort he said was "stage-managed" by state governors of the ruling party, known here as the PRI.

He vowed to lead a protest demonstration Tuesday to demand criminal charges against the National Registry of Voters, an organ of the powerful Interior Secretari-See MEXICO, Page 4

aircraft. Within minutes, the ship's system for

cruise ship on an inter-island cruise on Monday, killing at least nine persons, the government said. miles (26 kilometers) to the port of Piraeus, near Athens, and the wounded were taken to a hospital. About 80 people were reported

ATHENS - Masked gunmen

machine guns attacked a Greek

Scores of people dived over-

set the vessel on fire in the Aegean

jured in the scramble to escape.

By David S. Broder

Washington Post Service

S. Dukakis has sent a message of

defiance to his rival for the Demo-

cratic presidential nomination, Jes-

Mr. Dukakis had held his tongue for days as Mr. Jackson used the

press to send implied threats of floor fights or protests over Mr.

Dukakis's choice of a running

mate, the Democratic Party plat-

form and the schedule of next week's Democratic National Con-

But on Sunday, the Massachu-setts governor said: "Jesse Jackson

can do anything he wants to do. I'm

going to the convention and I'm

At an outdoor news conference

near here in Rocky Mountain Na-

tional Park - where he sought to

reaffirm his credentials as an envi-

ronmentalist -- Mr. Dukakis said

that he was "not frustrated at all"

by Mr. Jackson's increasingly pub-

lic efforts to extract concessions

"I think he and other good Dem-

ocrats, many independents and maybe some Republicans will be-

come part of our effort" once the

delegates' votes are counted in At-

before pledging his support.

lanta, Mr. Dukakis said.

vention.

DENVER — Governor Michael

land-hopping tour.

hurling grenades and firing sub- the Saronic Gulf.

Mikhail S. Gorbachev, left, and General Wojciech Jaruzelski exchange remarks during Warsaw arrival ceremony.

Gunmen Attack Greek Liner and Kill at Least 9

The Minister of the Merchant Marine, Evangelos Yannopoulos. board to escape the attackers who said that six persons died instantly in the hail of fire and three others died later in a hospital.

Sea. The gunmen fled in a small Panic erupted on the liner when Athens radio said most of the it came under attack about three 471 passengers on the 688-ton City miles off the island of Aegina. of Poros were foreigners on an is-"Most of the passengers jumped in the sea when the first explosions

Seventy-eight were wounded — most of them American, French were heard," a passenger said. "It was absolute hell." Another passenger said: "I saw one man taking a machine gun out hand grenades and automatic and Swedish tourists. It was not clear whether they had been hit by bullets or grenade fragments or inof a bag and start shooting at the crowd. Another one hurled gre-

Earlier Monday, an explosion nades and then it was absolute hyskilled two persons and destroyed a teria." car parked near the marina where parked near the marina where rouse ship was to dock in the the ship's deck was ablaze," he add-Athens surburb of Paelo Faliron. The police speculated the car blast

and the shipboard attack were conthree masked men fled in a small The Greek Merchant Marine boat after setting the deck of the the car were waiting for their fellow

Dukakis Is Defiant of Jackson

son deserves special consideration.

'I'm going to the

going to win it.

Michael S. Dukakis

convention and I'm

dreds of thousands of people who

participated in the process," he

said. "If people want to go to the

convention and debate certain is-

we're going to come out with a solid

platform, what I hope will be a

solid, winning ticket and a united

Aides said that Mr. Dukakis is

prepared to marshal his delegates

to defeat potential Jackson chal-

lenges to platform sections on the

sues, they are free to do so. But

"This is a large party with hun-

launched a search for the attackers, said. After the attack, the ship, smoke whose identity was not immediatepouring from its side, steamed 16 ly known. An amateur photographer

aboard a ship passing near the liner after the gunmen had fled shot film that was shown on Greek television. The film showed a helicopter hovering over the liner and at least 10 smaller vessels coming to the

The police said the two occupants of the car that exploded in Paleo Faliron were believed to be of Arab origin. The car had been rented to a Lebanese man. Hamoud Al Hamid, 36, the police

weapons, the police said. They also said they found an Iranian magazine and huge sums in U.S. dollars

The police said the two persons ed. "I heard two explosions. There killed in the car explosion could Passengers on nearby ships said men on the cruise ship.

"Now it seems the two men in Ministry said the 63-meter-long ship on fire. Government sources terrorists to arrive with the ship

But one aide said earlier: "The

choice of a running mate is Duka-

kis's to make and the convention is

going to be Dukakis's launching

pad, no one else's. Jesse Jackson has to understand that."

it clear over the weekend that he

would not tone down his campaign

merely because it seemed to be an-

stop?" Mr. Jackson said at a rally

Saturday in San Francisco. "This

ain't no ordinary campaign. This is

not the politics of go along to get

In an interview Sunday in Los

Angeles, Mr. Jackson said that his

meetings with Mr. Dukakis had

been superficial and that the two

needed to meet again to discuss the

vice presidency and the platform.

Despite the growing animosity

See DUKAKIS, Page 2

Jackson has been sending ambig-uous signals about the vice presi-

dential nomination. Page 4.

"Why won't the campaign

noying the Dukakis camp.

Nevertheless, Mr. Jackson made

Asked about Mr. Jackson's com-vention between Mr. Jackson and

plaint that Dukakis aides were either Mr. Dukakis or his campaign

pressuring him to "surrender" on chairman, Paul P. Brountas, who is

platform issues in return for a conducting the search for a vice

along."

prime-time television speaking presidential candidate. role, Mr. Dukakis again signaled that he does not believe Mr. Jack-choice of a running ma

(208-foot-long) ship specialized in said air force planes, helicopters and were perhaps their back up day cruises through the islands in and coast guard vessels had team." a senior police investigator Captain Mayromatis, whose ship

reached port four hours after the the vessel and forced passengers to leap overboard into the water to avoid machine-gun fire.

At least two persons who jumped into the sea were killed by the ship's propellers. Captain Mavromatis

"The passengers started jumping into the water to avoid the machine two were killed by the ship's propellers." he said. Two weeks ago. a U.S. military

booby-trapped car that exploded as he drove past in his bullet-proof troops in the region. car on his way to work. The terrorist group November 17 claimed re- ty overshadowed Mr. Gorbachev's

Are Proposed By Gorbachev lish Communist leader, General Wojciech Jaruzelski. Despite a major propaganda buildup by Polish authorities for Mr. Gorbachev's visit, his third and

longest to Poland, only small

crowds turned out to see him.

Opening speeches by the two Com-

munist chiefs repeated past ac-

Polish opposition figures and the banned Solidarity trade union had

called on Mr. Gorbachev to make

history by speaking out on the most

painful unresolved issue between

the two countries, the World War II massacre of Polish officers and

other prisoners of war in Katvn

But though both Mr. Gorbachev

and General Januzelski spoke at

length about crimes and conflicts

in the history between their coun-

Mr. Gorbachev's speech also did

not spell out details of the new

whether the United States would be

included in the summit conference.

See GORBACHEV, Page 2

tries, neither mentioned Katyn.

counts of relations.

Forest near Smolensk.

By Jackson Diehl

Washington Post Service WARSAW — Mikhail S. Gorbachev offered on Monday to withdraw some Soviet military aircraft from Eastern Europe if NATO canceled a plan to redeploy 72 U.S. F-16 fighter bombers from Spain to

In a speech to the Polish Sejm, or parliament, the Soviet leader proposed a pan-European summit conference to discuss "how to break the vicious circle and move from words to action in the field of educing conventional arms."

[U.S. State Department officials. told the International Herald Tribune that the basing of F-16s "has been and will continue to be a NATO matter" and that "if the Soviet Union is sincere in its pursuit of conventional reductions, it will work in Vienna to achieve a mutually acceptable negotiating mandate for new arms control talks covering NATO-Warsaw Pact conventional forces from the Atlantic

to the Urals."

[In Brussels, Reuters reported that the secretary-general of the North Atlantic Treaty Organiza-tion, Manfred Wörner, said: "We are committed to establishing a stable and secure balance of conventional forces at lower levels in Europe. A focus on aircraft does not

neet this central requirement."] The proposals suggested a new effort by the Soviet leader to appeal gun fire of the attackers and at least to Western public opinion through his six-day visit to Poland.

Later this week, Mr. Gorbachev will take part in a summit meeting ttache in Greece, Captain William of Warsaw Pact leaders. Western E. Nordeen, was assassinated by a experts believe the meeting may decide on reductions of Soviet

The message of European securisponsibility for the killing. opening round of appearances in (Reuters, UPI, AP) Warsaw and meeting with the Poopening round of appearances in



nounced Monday the United States will offer compensation to the families of the 290 persons killed on the Iran Air flight shot

The decision was coupled with a U.S. expression of hope that diplo matic relations could be restored eventually with Iran.

down by U.S. Navy.

There was no immediate Iranian reaction to the U.S. overtures.

The president's offer came eight days after the July 3 accident and on the eve of a United Nations Security Council debate into the incident. Mr. Reagan said again Monday the incident grew out of the U.S. cruiser Vincennes' "justifi-able defensive actions."

The ship fired two missiles at the Iran Air A-300B Airbus, believing it to be an attacking Iranian jet

"I don't ever feel that compassion set a bad precedent," the president said.

The payments are subject to approval by Congress. But since the proposal has been supported by leaders of both parties, White House officials do not expect any significant opposition.

Both the amount and other details of the payments are yet to be determined, the White House spokesman, Marlin Fitzwater said. The payments will be "ex gratia," that is voluntary payments without any acknowledgement of wrongful acts by the United States.

Mr. Fitzwater acknowledged that the president is hopeful the offer will diffuse anger toward the United States during the UN de-bate. He invited the Iranian govtalks with the United States.

Diplomatic ties between the two countries have been severed since Iranians seized the U.S. Embassy in Tehran in November 1979, taking Americans as hostages, the fi-

See GULF, Page 2

les, Mr. Salinas was winning the presidential race with 52.8 percent of the residential race with 52.8 percent of

By Stephen Engelberg New York Times Service

WASHINGTON - When dawn broke over the Gulf on July 3, a Sunday, U.S. commanders were armed with a valuable piece of secret information: intelligence experts had broken the coded electronic signals that Iranian F-14s had been using to identify themselves.

That intelligence breakthrough had enabled U.S warships to identify F-14 fighters from miles away, according to military the conservative National Action officials, giving an account of what hap-

> Captain Will C. Rogers 3d of the U.S. cruiser Vincennes had every reason to have faith in the system.

> As the Iranian Airbus took off from Bandar Abbas with 290 aboard, it was spotted by radar operators on the Vincennes as an unidentified target, leaving an airfield used by both military and civilian

breaking the identifying code had received two signals. One was appropriate to both able to Captain Rogers is at the heart of the unlikely since the Vincennes did not detect tion to the Airbus. One experienced navy civilian and military planes. The second efforts to explain how a warship crammed a separate flight.

could only have been sent by a military with electronics shot down an airliner, killtransmitter, and appeared to have come ing all aboard. from an F-14.

the civilian control tower, broadcast on nations of the incident. open radio channels.

The lack of information about the con-

conversations with the tower began 17 throughout the eight-minute flight. Rogers, they would have prompted doubts official. If this intelligence report is con- Iranian military P-3 Orion flying nearby

military jet.

plane on coded military frequencies, he views with military officers and image of a Boeing 707 airliner. The planes

trol tower is important because the Vin- airplane identification codes at three Staff, has told reporters that there is no erroneously attributed it to the Airbus.

about his conclusion he was firing at a firmed by other evidence, the presence of did monitor the warnings. this aircraft would lend some credence to The officials did not explain the basis for Determining the quality and accuracy of the theory that the military code came from this assessment or say whether the Orion the welter of electronic information avail- another plane. The Pentagon says this is made any attempt to pass on the informa-

While many questions remain, a recon- Reza Pahlavi was still in power, the Iranian them.

Sihanouk Quits Resistance Post

was resigning as the head of the guerrilla coalition.

Prince Norodom Sihanouk, speaking Monday in Bangkok

before boarding a flight to Paris, said he would continue efforts

to bring peace to Cambodia despite his announcement that he

them to catch the U.S. ships unaware, Despite this, Admiral William J. Crowe

 While it remains unclear why Flight • On the other hand, a U.S. listening 655 failed to respond to at least five radio minutes before takeoff and continued post in Ornan believes it detected an Irani- warnings on civilian emergency frequenan F-14 taking off from Bandar Abhas cies and seven on military channels, U.S. Had these been provided to Captain shortly after the Airbus, according to one officials said they have learned that an

• In a mock attack on U.S. ships in a Gulf often heed the warnings by changing 1978 exercise, while Shah Mohammed course, but do not acknowledge receiving

 The Vincennes was in voice communication, not a direct electronic link, with the John H. Sides, a navy frigate that had a conflicting radar picture of the flight. The Sides, patrolling 17 miles (27 kilometers) from the Vincennes, reportedly saw a plane on radar at 12,000 feet (3,650 meters) and

holding level. The more sophisticated radar aboard the Vincennes reportedly saw Flight 655 as descending in a threatening path. Officers said that Captain Rogers decided to rely on his own radar. The Pentagon has not said if the data sent by the Airbus included the

• Adding to the mystery, there were additional discrepancies pertaining to the two identifying signals that the Vincennes says were emanating from the civilian plane. Unlike the Vincennes, the John H. Sides did not detect a military code from the

military, foreign policy and taxes.

They said the governor was not seeking a personal showdown with his Democratic rival and expected further meetings before the con-

But while Captain Rogers knew what struction of events leading up to the down- Air Force executed a maneuver in which had apparently been transmitted by the ing of Iran Air Flight 655, based on inter-

was not aware that the aircraft had been administration officials, discloses new in- flew just a few feet from the jetliner with exchanging routine flight instructions with formation that supports conflicting expla-their transponders turned off, allowing It includes these details: • The Vincennes used its system to read Jr., the chairman of the Joint Chiefs of

cennes shot down the civilian Airbus in the points in the flight of the Iran Air plane, a "pattern" of the Iranians using F-14s in mistaken belief that the coded signals were circumstance that some technical experts this manner. The Pentagon discounts the correct, and that the target was an Iranian insist makes it unlikely that the Vincennes likelihood of this tactic being linked with picked up a signal from a far-off plane and the airliner tragedy. Iran said this weekend that the plane's

officer said that Iranian aircraft over the

civilian Airbus. The civilian signal it did See AIRBUS, Page 2

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to the usual tourist ailments of sore feet, queasy stomachs and anemic pocketbooks, a new emotional disturbance has been rincovered by a psychiatrist in Florence: the Stendhal Syn-Dr. Graziella Magherini,

chief of psychiatry at the Santa Maria Nuova hospital, which is five minutes from the great nurist attractions of Florence, has studied the syndrome in 107 patients over a period of eight years. A panic state resulting from the tourist's confrontation with the cultural weight of Flor-ence, the Stendhal Syndrome is forms by a loss of sense of reali-

expressed in its more acute ty and identity, by deprivation anxiety and by insomnia. "The external world becomes less real to the patient and at

they looking at me and what have I done," says the distinguished gray-haired doctor. Florence, claustrophobic and with too much to see in so small a space, is the ideal incubator

nograph records, birdseed -and instead there is an unremitoften baffling sense of the past. As many cultivated foreigners have noticed over the de-

At any rate, there is no doubt that something is wrong to the point where the Province of Florence has funded Dr. Magherini's research, which she is conducting with an architect, Stefano Crivelli, a historian, Professor Ermanno Bomomi, and a professor of literature,

Researchers say

Florence's rich culture can

name Stendhal Syndrome. The lished in January.

1936, expressed a sense of per-

iting the church of Santa Croce. His heart began to beat irreg-ularly, Stendhal wrote, and he felt as if his life were ebbing away, and he feared he might fall down. He recovered by leaving the church and reading poems by Foscolo on a bench.

Exchanges Set

military forces.

The Soviet chief of staff,
Marshal Sergei F. Akhromeyev, and the chairman of the U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff, Admiral William J. Crowe Jr., also announced the two nations had agreed on a two-year

and marksmen.

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The White House spokesman, Marlin Fitzwater, declined to confirm or deny that Mr. Reagan had settled on Mr. Thornburgh, who will turn 56 on Saturday. Mr. Thornburgh served as governor of Pennsylvania from 1979 to 1987 and now directs the Institute of Politics at Harvani

Haiti Human Rights Leader Is Killed

University's Kennedy School of Government.

Meese Successor Reportedly Chosen WASHINGTON (AP) — President Ronald Reagan has chosen Rich

washing for (Ar) — resident roman reagan has chosen Richard Thornburgh, a former governor of Pennsylvania, to replace Attorney General Edwin Meese 3d, an administration source said Monday.

The source said that Mr. Thornburgh, who headed the Justice Department's criminal division from 1975 to 1977, had accepted the offer. The

ment's criminal division from 1973 to 1977, that accepted the offer. The attorney general said last week that he would leave the Justice Department by early August. Mr. Meese said he had been vindicated by the conclusion of an independent counsel's investigation into alleged wrong.

doing during his tenure without an indictment having been sought

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti (AP) — A leading Haitian human rights activist, Lafontant Joseph, was found stabbed to death Monday in a feep just outside Port-au-Prince, Radio Metropole said. just outside Port-au-Prince, Radio Metropole said.

Mr. Joseph, 54, a lawyer, was the director of the Center of Education for Human Rights, which he founded in 1986. He was a former membral of the League of Human Rights. In November 1980, under the regime of former dictator Jean-Claude Duvalier, he was arrested, jailed and tor.

tured because of his outspoken criticism of the government. He was ordered to leave Hairi but refused. Mr. Joseph was beaten before he was killed, Radio Metropole, a Mr. Joseph was beauti the was kind, Arabic memories, a private station, reported Jean-Claude Bajeux, director of the Ecumenical Center for Human Rights, said the body was identified by the victim's wife, Raymonde Joseph, who is director of the Haitian Woman's Committee Against Torture.

4 Sentenced to Life for Bologna Blast

BOLOGNA, Italy (AP) — A court convicted four rightists Monday of mass murder and sentenced them to life in prison for the 1980 bombing of the Bologna train station, in which 85 persons were killed. KUWAITI OFFICIAL IN WASHINGTON — The U.S. deputy secretary of state, John C. Whitehead, greets the prime minister and crown prince of Kuwait, Sheikh Saad al-Abdullah as-Salem as-Sabah, on the grounds of the Washington Monument upon his arrival. Investigators said that the attack on the crowded train station on Air 2, 1980, was the work of neo-Fascists, possibly helped by elements of the Italian secret service seeking to destabilize the country and establish a rightist dictatorship. Those sentenced to life in prison were Valerio Fioravanti, Francesca Mambro, Massimiliano Fachini and Sergio Piccia

Also Monday, two defendants were acquitted of mass murder chargestemming from the bombing and 11 others were acquitted of subversive association charges. Among the 11 were Licio Gelli, two other leading rightists and two former officials of the secret service.

frigate John H. Sides had contra-2 Youths Die in West Bank Violence

ing it at 12,000 feet and flying level, Military officials said that Cap-JERUSALEM (Reuters) - Israeli occupation authorities closed six to an F-14 in the past could be tain Rogers was uncertain about reassigned to another military air-the identity and was concerned that West Bank schools Monday and threatened to shut more after widespread violence in which troops shot and killed two Palestinian teengned to attack ground targets. When the plane was 20 miles.

The F-14 aircraft were designed away, he consulted with the U.S. agers, security sources said.

Officials at Tulkarm Hospital said Hassan Ahmed Adass, 16, died after being shot by a soldier during a violent protest by school students in the village of Anabta. In Nablus, Palestinian sources said Faris al-Anabtavi was shot to death and four other Arabs were wounded.

Meanwhile, the head of Israel's West Bank Civil Administration, which runs public services under the occupation, announced that about 1,000 its 17,000 Arab employees would be dismissed because of a budget crisis caused by the Palestinian uprising.

Safety Board Faults DC-10 Brakes

WASHINGTON (UPI) — The National Transportation Safety Boards said Monday that older brakes on DC-10 jettiners may fail during aborted takeoffs and advised the Federal Aviation Administration to toughen its standards immediately.

The recommendations followed an aborted takeoff by an American

Airlines DC-10 at the Dallas-Fort Worth Regional Airport on May 21. The board said its preliminary investigation showed that McDonnell Douglas, manufacturer of the aircraft, had issued deficient standards for brake wear on the DC-10.

In the May accident, eight of the airliner's 10 brakes failed seconds after the pilot applied the brakes while traveling at 178 knots (205 mph) when a warning light indicated the plane's wings were not in position for lift-off, the board said. The plane skidded 1,000 feet (300 meters) off the

runway, seriously injuring two of the crew.

For the Record Saudi Arabian security forces have foiled an attempt to smuggle and into the country, apparently to disrupt this year's Moslem pilgrimage, the Al-Rai Al-Aam daily reported Monday. It said they were hidden in ite

boxes, a common accessory for the faithful. Officials from South Africa, Angola, Cuba and the United States opened talks Monday in New York on a timetable for the withdrawal of the 40,000 Cuban troops from Angola as part of a peace settlement that would include independence for South-West Africa, or Namibia, which is ruled by South Africa. The four parties first met in London in early Man

Brisbane, Australia, will remain under a state of emergency until Tuesday after a huge leak of gasoline at a fuel depot. Several thousand people were evacuated when a 6-million-liter (1.6-million-gallon) tank

ruptured Monday 10 kilometers (6 miles) from the city. No one was injured. Later, the evacuees were allowed to return. TRAVEL UPDATE

Greek Air Controllers to Stop Work

ATHENS (Reuters) - Greece's 450 air traffic controllers warned Monday that airspace over the country would be closed for an indefinite period unless the government met demands for better working conditions and higher pay.

The controllers, who were banned last month from taking strike action. began refusing to eat or sleep as a way of moving into a state in which they would not be able to work. A union representative said Greece's 30 airports would no longer be able to operate by Tuesday afternoon. It was expected that the schedules of more than 1,000 international and domes-

tic flights a day would be disrupted. A 15-kilometer (9-mile) section of the Brenner expressway linking Italy to Austria will be closed Tuesday morning so the authorities can defuse: World War II bomb, the Italian news agency ANSA said. It said the bomb was found during construction of the northern expressway exit for

GORBACHEV: Europe Summit

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which he said should be "a kind of all-European Reykjavik," referring

to his 1986 meeting in Iceland with President Ronald Reagan. In proposing that a move by 72

■ NATO Stand Elaborated U.S. F-16s from Spain to Italy be halted, Mr. Gorbachev said only that an "analogous" reduction of Soviet planes could take place in the Atlantic alliance's priority was Eastern Europe. The transfer of the to cut land forces, accordi Reuters. "On their own, aircraft do U.S. planes has been arranged after not capture and hold territory. 3

Spain ordered that they leave. In appealing for greater cooperation between European countries, Mr. Gorbachev suggested that NATO and the Warsaw Pact set up a joint center "for diminishing the threat of war," which could serve as

a permanent contact point to work on ideas for arms reduction. "We see in the future a Europe whose East and West no longer bristle with weapons trained on each other but, on the contrary,

draw unprecedented benefits from exchanges of goods and values, enterprise and knowledge, people and ideas," Mr. Gorbachev said.

The Soviet Foreign Ministry spokesman, Gennadi I. Gerasimov, said the summit meeting proposal was prompted by Soviet frustration Vienna on reducing conventional forces, as well as in talks on setting

up a new forum for conventional arms reduction. "We are surprised the West does

over on July 1 as secretary-general, said that achieving a stable and secure balance of conventional forces at lower levels was only possible by tackling "the massive for ward deployment of Soviet ground

forces. These, he said, were deployed far in excess of legitimate defense needs, with a capacity for launch-

said. "So we are saying Let us organize a Reykjavik and let us

have it at the top level, if somebody wants to have it at a different level.

that's okay but we want to have it

Mr. Worner's statement in re-

sponse to Mr. Gorbachev said that

threat of particular concern to NATO," he said.

The West German, who took

ing surprise attack." Mr. Womer added that the War-saw Pact would have to make big-ger cuts in tanks and artillery than the West to correct an imbalance. "A focus on aircraft does not meet this correct an imbalance." he said.

this central requirement," he said. The former Bonn defense minister said that verifying a withdrawal of Soviet aircraft from Europe would be especially difficult be-cause they could be quickly

switched from one area to another. In Rome, Prime Minister Ciriaco

Saudis Say They Sought British Arms Partly to Cut Friction With U.S.

By Robert Pear

New York Times Service
WASHINGTON — In signing a huge arms deal with Britain, Saudi Arabia was trying not only to meet its military needs but to avoid a series of bruising political battles with Israel's strong supporters in the U.S. Congress.
The \$29 billion deal, already be-

U.S. to Join Soviets in Forces Study

WASHINGTON — The top military officers of the United States and the Soviet Union announced plans Monday for a U.S.-Soviet group to study ways to avoid dangerous superpower military in-

cidents. The announcement came as Marshal Sergei F. Akhromeyev, the Soviet chief of general staff, wound up an unprecedented tour of U.S. military bases and meetings with a

wide range of Americans. Mr. Akhromeyev met briefly with President Ronald Reagan in the White House. Later, at a news conference, he said that he understood the United States better after his five-day trip with Admiral William J. Crowe Jr., chairman of the

U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff. Marshal Akhromeyev and Admiral Crowe said the two sides will form a military working group to explore past incidents, including the bumping this year of U.S. and Soviet warships in the Black Sea and the shooting death in 1985 of U.S. Army Major Arthur D. Nicholson by Soviet troops in East Ger-

They said the group will explore the two sides' abilities to communicate with each other, especially on an emergency basis when their mil-

itary forces are operating near each But Marshal Akhromeyev, 64, said the greatest benefit of his visit may have been talking with Ameri-

cans in the nation's heartland. "We met with hundreds of Americans," he said of his tour, which took him to North Carolina, Virginia, Texas, Oklahoma and South Dakota. "We familiarized ourselves with military equipment

and with the servicemen of the U.S. "In many respects, I didn't know how the American nation devel-

oped and how it emerged as it has Marshal Akhromeyev said with a smile that he had told Mr. Reagan "that human rights have not been

violated, because I received answers to all of my questions." eyev's guest. In adtion, Defense Secretary Frank C. Carlucci will visit Moscow next month at the invitation of Defense

Secretary Dmitri T. Yazov. During his tour, Marshal Akhromeyev visited an aircrast carrier, watched marines and army troops training and examined a B-1 strate-

gic bomber. The marshal said he was greatly impressed with the rural roads he saw and noted that the Soviet Union faced a major problem in a

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ing described as the arms sale of the century, includes combat aircraft, helicopters, mine-hunting vessels and contracts for construction of air bases in Saudi Arabia.

"We would prefer to buy weap-ons from the United States." a Saudi official said Sunday, two days after the deal was announced.
"American technology is generally superior. But we are not going to pay billions of dollars to be insulted. We are not masochists.

Lobbyists for U.S. aid to Israel see some merit, but not much, in the Reagan administration's contention that Israel would be better off if the United States continued as the main arms supplier to the Saudis. The lobbyists said they did

not regret their opposition. Saudi officials say U.S.-Saudi relations may improve if the friction over arms sales is eliminated. But American officials say the overall

relationship may be damaged. "The kind of military association we have had with Saudi Arabia is one of the bedrocks of our political relationship with that country," a State Department official said. "As the military relationship atrophies, the overall relationship will become more brittle and more susceptible

to political stresses. Israeli officials and members of the American Israel Public Affairs Committee, or AIPAC, have opposed U.S. arms sales to Saudi Arabia and other countries that have not joined the Middle East peace process. AIPAC is the only group

registered to lobby Congress on egislation affecting Israel. There were major fights in Congress before Saudi Arabia was allowed to buy military jets in 1978, AWACS surveillance planes in

1981 and missiles in 1986. A Saudi official intimately familiar with the thinking of the royal

family said Saturday: There is no logic in the opposi-tion we are facing in Congress from the pro-Israel lobby. They are not accomplishing anything except showing that AIPAC can deliver senators. Israel is not more secure. We just buy from another source. And if the pro-Israel lobby is trying to disrupt the U.S.-Saudi relationship, they are not succeeding. We are preserving the relationship by taking away the area over which

Congress has control." AIPAC's chairman, Robert H.

Asher, declined to comment. Other supporters of Israel defended their opposition to the sale of U.S. arms to Saudi Arabia. They argued that American weaponry was the best available and that the United States was obliged to restrict its arms sales, regardless of what other countries might do. They contended that the Saudis

were trying to play off the United States against other countries. Robert G. Neumann, a former ambassador to Saudi Arabia who is now chairman of the American-Admiral Crowe, 63, will visit the Sandi Roundtable, an organization Soviet Union next summer as Mar- of American companies with interin the Middle Fast, said the deal announced Friday in London

represented "a colossal loss of American jobs and investment." Mr. Neumann, the director of the Middle East program at the Center for Strategic and International Studies, a research institute in Washington, said the weapons sought by Saudi Arabia were needed to protect the kingdom against

Iran, whose Islamic revolutionary

threat to the Saudis' conservative The Reagan administration says that when it sells weapons to Saudi Arabia, Washington imposes restrictions that the British do not. But Nadav Safran, a professor of Middle East studies at Harvard University, said: "Weapons acquired for one purpose may be used for another. If the Saudis have advanced weapons and there is anoth-

the Saudis to use those weapons against Israel would be enormous." A Saudi official said the weapons would be used only for self-de-fense. "We invested \$600 billion over the last 18 years to build a nation and to bring it into the 20th century," he said. "We don't want to see that destroyed. We can't af-

Bingo Banned in Abu Dhabi

ABU DHABI — Bingo has been banned in the emirate of Abu Dhabi as a form of gambling con-trary to Islamic teaching, the Interior Ministry said Monday.



AIRBUS: On the Vincennes, Secrets, Tension and a Decision to Shoot

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pick up had a number different ing the signal, from the one detected by the Vin-• The missiles were fired at virtually the last possible moment. Missiles cannot be effective when

the target is inside a certain dis-• The Vincennes had limited quipment to send and receive the

VHF frequencies used by control towers for long-distance radio mmunications. With investigators beginning to pore over the combat tapes from the Vincennes, many aspects of the

affair remain unclear. There are three essential issues before the investigators. The first is whether Captain

Rogers acted properly, given the information at his disposal. information he used to make his were different from the code read decision was inaccurate or distort-

had but did not not.

or technical failure.

procedures used to distinguish be-mation. tween friendly and enemy aircraft. The pavy has a number of tools to in the week, with questions mountdo this, including IFF. The IFF system is considered a designed primarily to distinguish between friendly and enemy aircraft in a war. "IFF stands for

'identification friend or foe,' " said Norman Friedman, an author on naval radar systems. "That means. 'Give me the right signal or you are the enemy.'' This system sends out an electronic beam signal along a particular bearing at which a ship has spotted an unidentified plane. When the beam strikes the transponder carried aboard most air-

craft, it triggers a signal, which is sent back. The identification system measures the time it took to

distance of the transponder send-

Shortly after Iran Air's Flight 655 took off from Bandar Abbas. the Vincennes sent an electronic beam toward the airliner's transponder. According to the Penta-

gon, the answer was confusing. The plane was detected as emitting a signal at a frequency called Mode 3. That made sense, because Mode 3 is used by all civilian aircraft as well as military planes. But it also appeared to be giving off an

enciphered four-digit code in Mode 2, reserved for the military. The 4-digit code was decoded and military officers said the number that popped up from this transmission was the same as the fourdigit code previously associated with Iranian F-14 fighters. Officials disclosed, however, that the four The second is whether any of the numbers detected by the Vincennes

the previous day when two F-14 ed, either because of human error aircraft flew close to another ship. The ability to read the Mode 2 Third, the investigators will have identification signal had been a to examine whether there was any closely guarded secret. In his first data Captain Rogers should have briefing on the incident last Sunday, Admiral Crowe said that the

At the heart of the inquiry are ship had received ambiguous infor-He declined to elaborate. Later

until January 1981.

The IFF system is considered a relatively crude instrument. It is GULF: U.S. to Pay Compensation to Iranian Families

ing, the navy decided to make pub-

airplane is based on observation.

The assumption that a particular

The officers said the Iranians

changed codes on occasion, so it

was possible that a number linked

reassigned to another military air-

signed to attack ground targets.

ons for firing at ships or deployed

There were a number of possibil-

ities. Was the plane really an F-14?

Was it a civilian plane that mistak-

enly had a military transmitter?

Were there two planes out there?

The identification system could

interrogated the transponder twice

With the F-14 code blinking in

ers tried to contact the plane by

radio. No answer was received and

ed that after reaching an altitude of

the Vincennes. The radars indicat- of the Vincen

back in Mode 2 and Mode 3.

offer no clarification so the ship 655.

standard bombs.

number is associated with a specific flight, experts have said. But the

craft, for example an F-4 jet de- it might be a civilian airliner.

for air-to-air combat. Pentagon of- commander for the region, who

ficials have said they assume the was on another ship. The captain

Iranians could have added weap- was authorized to give one more

more. Both times the answer came of time. With seconds to go, he gave

the command center, Captain Rog- dard missiles streaked toward the

the Airbus continued to fly toward explosion was visible from the deck

about 9,000 feet, it began descend- E. Trainor contributed to this article.

the order to fire.

lic the information.

tative" representatives of the Irani-

payments directly to the families of compensation to the victims' famthe persons killed on the Airbus, ilies "has some problems" and that the loss of the government-owned jet has yet to be addressed, Mr. Fitzwater said.

would have to come from "authori- uals and not Iran's government. But the House majority whip, Tony Coelho, a California Demo-The president's decision calls for crat, said any legislation to pay

"We stand willing to open better relations with Iran," said Mr. Fitzfor compensation as long as it is

predicted that "Congress would be suring that the Security Council debate eases tensions between Iran for compensation as long as it is water, adding that the overtures structured as payments to individ- the risk of terrorist reprisals, ac-

York Times reported from Oslo:

The UN secretary-general, Javier

In Congress, the House speaker, Pérez de Cuéllar, has begun a series nal 52 of which were not released Jim Wright, a Texas Democrat, of diplomatic contacts aimed at in-

ing at a speed of about 450 knots.

This flight path would be unusual for an Airbus, even on a short

dictory data about the plane, plac-

warning, and then to fire.

Captain Rogers gave the warning but he held fire. Officers re-

mained concerned that the target

ing through an airline schedule to

see if there were any scheduled

flights. They did not find Flight

Captain Rogers was nearly out

Guided by radar, the two Stan-

airliner at more than one and a half

times the speed of sound. The fiery

Michael R. Gordon and Bernard

was an airliner. They began thumb

cording to UN officials and diplo-The secretary-general, these officials say, wants the Security Coun-cil meeting to serve as a kind of

safety valve that will enable Iran to release some of its anger and frustration over the incident. Mr. Pérez de Cuéllar returned to

an environmental conference in

not to the Iranian government. The he is "inclined" to oppose it. question of whether the U.S. gov-■ UN Aide Active ernment will compensate Iran for Earlier, Paul Lewis of The New New York on Sunday night from

STENDHAL: Florence Can Floor the Uninitiated

travel stress. The pathology is distavet stress. The patients of the stress of place imbued with history and rich in art. An historical site brings a reminder of death, Dr. Magherini says, and looking at the same time at art works can provoke a general

Dr. Magherini first became aware of the syndrome, which she also calls Il Perturbante Turistico, when she noted an increased number of foreign tourists among her Some nationalities are more suspsychiatric patients at Santa Maria Nuova. Men and women seem to be equally disturbed, she says, and

immediately uncomfortable in her pensione when she noticed men

says.

The case became acute when the ment in the Church of Santa Maria die and be judged," Dr. Magherini says. Other patients have reached crisis point in front of paintings by the concentric circles that decorate

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"The sensations provoked by artistic beauty are far from soothing," they've never even noticed that the syndrome exists." Her study is backed by public funding because tourism is a chief the other patients recovered rapidsource of revenue for Florence, ly with rest, mild medication and whose 426,000 inhabitants receive with being with people who spoke six million visitors a year. Obvioustheir own language. Therapy may

take up to 10 days, but three days is So far this season Dr. Magherini has had three patients: one American and two North Europeans. ceptible to the Stendhal Syndrome than others. "Australians are unprepared for the experience, for the shock of Florence, and feel strangled and at a loss," she says. "The Japanese come from a structured culture which protects them, as does the fact that they move in

groups like a dirigible and so the experience is not as profound for Tourists from other parts of Italy are unaffected by Florence's noble claustrophobia, although Dr. Magherini is at present treating an Italian who in France succumbed to a variant of Stendhal Syndrome

while looking at Old Testament scenes by Chagall. If Florence is the perfect catalyst both for the Stendhal Syndrome and its study, other centers of mass cultural tourism have been following Dr. Magherini's work. She says she has had inquiries from a Paris hospital near Notre Dame, the Hotel Dieu, and from the cities of Venice and Jerusalem. On the other hand, there has been no sign of

interest from the city of Rome. "Rome is such a jungle." Dr. Magherini says, shrugging her fine Florentine shoulders. "Maybe

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ly, nervous collapse is not good for

'There is too much history here," says Stefano Crivelli, the architect who is working with Dr. Magherini. Opening up the center by moving services to the edge of the convention in Atlanta. town and giving freer access to the green hills around the city are two ways he suggests of relieving pres-

stayed longer. At present the average stay is two days and some tour-ard A. Gephardt of Missouri and ists come for only eight hours. Cases of the Stendhal Syndrome Bush Back in Washington are declining. Dr. Magherini says, as tour operators take pains to prepare and survey their customers. To avoid the syndrome, she prescribes learning about Florence be-fore the visit, "having a large space

fewer things in a longer time," she And if despite precautions tourists do come down with Stendhal
Syndrome, the unpleasantness is
Dukakis Hoping worth it. Dr. Magherini says, because they will find they have grown as a result. In any case it would be bad for tourism to suggest that the Stendhal Syndrome is

looking at a painting in the Uffizi," tions against South Africa.

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out splitting the party. Mr. Dukakis returned Sunday to Boston, where he faces a critical week of decision-making. The announcement of his vice presidential choice is expected before he goes to

John Glenn of Ohio. Bob Graham It would also be better for the of Florida, Lloyd Bentsen of Texas tourists, and for the city, if they and Albert Gore Jr. of Tennessee, Lee H. Hamilton of Indiana.

Aides, speaking on condition of within yourself for seeing," and not doing too much. "It is better to see

"You can't catch it just from Margaret Thatcher to impose sanc-

elevision program.

South Africa, a major British trad-

ing partner.

confidentiality, said the vice president was preparing to propose a strict new conflict-of-interest code

LONDON - Governor Michael rampant or inevitable, and Dr. Dukakis, the likely Democratic Magherini makes a point of stating presidential nominee, said on Monday he would urge Prime Minister

> apartheid, that we have to take ac- at the impasse in negotiations in tion as an international community." Mr. Dukakis said on a British

This allows it to calculate the

receive a response.

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cultural shock.

the patients' age was from 20 to 40. Tourists traveling alone or in small groups were most often afflicted. She cites as typical the case of a schoolteacher from a small Swedish town who came to Florence to study art for 10 days and who felt

looking at her. "She didn't realize that this is just a Mediterranean attitude, she felt aggrieved," Dr. Magherini

woman was studying a Last Judg-Novella. "She saw only women being judged, she felt she was going to Raphael, Michelangelo's David. Caravaggio's Bacchus, and under

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DUKAKIS:

from the Dukakis camp, Mr. Jackson echoed the Massachusetts governor in saying he was confident the issues could be resolved with-

The leading contenders to join Mr. Dukakis on the Democratic ticket are believed to be Senators

Vice President George Bush was returning Monday to Washington after a weekend at his seaside retreat in Kennebunkport, Maine, The Associated Press reported.

for public officials.

she says. "Journalists may say so
but it isn't true."

"I hope we can persuade Mrs.
Thatcher and the British govern Thatcher and the British govern-ment that given the tragedy, the pain, the unconscionability of

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Jackson's Signals: A Fluid Ambiguity His Push to Get on Dukakis Ticket **Probably Aims to Placate Backers**

By David Maraniss

Washington Post Service
LOS ANGELES — It started
late last week in Memphis, Tennessee, when Jesse L. Jackson stood at the pulpit of Monumental Baptist Church and delivered a sermon on the vice presidency that would have been appropriately titled: "There Is No Good Reason Not to Give It

He had made some of the points before but never quite so emotionally, and this at a time when the rest of the political world thought he would be moderating his tone.

"They say they want balance," Mr. Jackson told his listeners. "Governor Dukakis's father was a doctor, his mother a teacher. My mother was a maid, my father a janitor. That's balance."

Later, Mr. Jackson was asked whether he was trying to intensify the pressure on Michael S. Dukakis just as the Massachusetts governor was trying to select a running mate. Mr. Jackson is considered among the least likely of his choices.
"Pressure?" Mr. Jackson asked,

with an innocent demeanor. "Me?

The next day, on a campaign flight from Memphis to Dallas, Mr. Jackson sounded earnest as he disparaged his campaign manager, Gerald Austin, for saying that Jackson delegates would revolt if Mr. Dukakis selected Senator Al-bert Gore Jr. of Tennessee as his running mate. "It would be unethical," Mr. Jackson said, for anyone in his campaign to pass judgment on other candidates.

The signals from the two events were not necessarily contradictory but they certainly were ambiguous, and they revealed the conflicted nature of the Jackson campaign these days. With many political experts expecting him to withdraw from the vice presidential running, Mr. Jackson has been talking more and more about how important the job is and why he deserves it.

2 Beaches in N.Y. **Are Closed Again**

BROOKHAVEN, New York -Officials closed two stretches of Long Island beach after medical waste washed ashore, and crowds at beaches that remained open were well below normal despite the assurances of health officials and the sweltering heat.

Cuomo promised a crackdown at it, the situation will remain fluid. Sunday on illegal ocean dumping after three dozen syringes, three not getting the second spot and blood vials, vials associated with remove himself from the running the drug crack and plastic tubing before he needed to, it would coning the closure of 25 miles (40 kilo- creative role, taking away negotiatmeters) of beach on Long Island's ing room in his effort not to aliensouth shore over three days.

Mr. Cuomo said he would urge the state legislature to provide for ease the fears of party leaders; terms of up to 10 years for anyone ardent followers. At times that convicted of illegally dumping in- makes him seem uncertain and fectious material. He said he also contradictory; it drives the party planned to seek \$2 million to bol- establishment crazy. Mr. Jackson ster enforcement of the current would call it being flexible and cre- members — as well as a significant sion.

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"I am still in the process," Mr. Jackson said Friday in Dallas when asked whether he would take the job if offered, "And obviously, my participation in the process is an indication of my interest."

Would he allow his name to be placed into nomination for the vice presidency if he were unhappy with Mr. Dukakis's choice? That, said Mr. Jackson, is not in his plans. Would he discourage a draft? He

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called that question premature. Inneither case, however, did Mr. Jackson say flatly that such acts were out of the question. For Mr. Jackson, who takes pride in his abilities as a negotiator. few periods in his career have so tested his skills or so strained the

patience of those outside his camp who have tried to deal with him and The most difficult part has been that not much has been going on in

public. The primary season is long vice presidential selection process has been more passive than active. Mr. Jackson's delegates are likely to come to the convention in

Atlanta with high expectations, especially on the party platform. Should he keep them fired up or try to defuse a potentially disillu-sioning situation? Should be satisfy short-term needs or stick to his long-term goals? Can he do both? Could he take himself out of the vice presidential sweepstakes or back away from a platform debate

without angering his followers?

Those are the questions revolving around Mr. Jackson. Aides and analysts who have watched him over the years say it is his nature to push back and forth and the Federal Electoral Commisagainst the edges of such questions in a fashion that, while it might make others uncomfortable, usually reaches a workable result.

He acted much the same way before and after the 1984 Democratic convention in San Francisco, first giving conflicting signals on what he wanted from the platform, then confusing people about how actively he would support the nominee, Walter F. Mondale.

Mr. Jackson cannot work in a static situation; it must be fluid. That is why he flits from one event to another even though there is no electoral purpose to it anymore. In part, Mr. Jackson is an invet-

erate campaigner who loves the

limelight. But beyond that is his Meanwhile, Governor Mario realization that as long as he keeps If Mr. Jackson were to accept his washed ashore this past week, forc- fine him to a more static and less

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gone, the Democratic convention does not begin until next week, the vice presidential selection process Mexican Vote Stirs Fight in Ruling Party

By Alan Riding

MEXICO CITY - Bitter inelections, in which the official candidate's claim to victory has been

tionary Party. "That's why the official results have been delayed so

The vote was held Wednesday

Well-placed politicians said some top party leaders were determined to secure a solid victory for the official candidate, Carlos Salinas de Gortari, and for the party's congressional candidates, if necessary by resorting to fraud.

who last week conceded that Mexico's era as a one-party state was over, was said by aides to be willing to accept a much narrower victory in the hope of forestalling angry protests against his expected proclamation as president-elect.

But the greatest uncertainty so far has come from mounting evidence that there are also officials inside both the government and the party who are saying the leading opposition candidate, Cuauhtemoc Cárdenas, was the real winner in Wednesday's election.

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I have the theory that Salinas is party official said, referring to the people who supported Salinas in long-ruling Institutional Revolu- public and backed Cardenas in pri-

ty who expressed little sympathy

in the government and party apparently are saying Cárdenas was the real winner of the election.

for the official candidate said Mr. Salinas was isolated "and even his chief sponsor, President de la Ma-

But tensions came to a head soon this moment?" asked Mr. Bravo of Police and anti-Sandinista demonstrators clashing during a protest march in Nandaime, Nicaragua first time Saturday night, Mr. Car-denas said he based his claim on with reliable reports of an angry nent. the governing party's president.

Aides to the candidate said they and Manuel Bartlett Diaz, the intealso had information that many rior minister who is also president civil servants and governing party of the Federal Electoral Commis-

In the hours that followed, the

tions and internal security.

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But the country remained largely political turmoil in decades.

nearly 74 percent of the vote, totaling 13.2 million presidential bal-lots. Given that Mexico has 38 million registered voters and that all sides agree the turnout in Wednesday's voting was heavy, these figures appear to lend credence to long-standing claims by the opposition that the electoral rolls are

history, opposition supporters have claims that their candidates have er, prevented the electoral commismonitored the district committees, won or are leading. waiting to see if the official returns matched tallies posted earlier by

Officially, the Federal Electoral Commission, which convened Sun- own figures, charged that the com- and in the Federal District. day to begin issuing final returns, is still debating and putting out reseats are decided by direct vote and

Next, the results of 64 Senate

However, for the last few days,

■ Computer Problem Cited

leftist National Democratic Front, who declared victory in the presidential race Saturday based on his Mr. Cardenas in at least two states

mission's figures have "little credi-In a letter to Interior Secretary Manuel Bartlett, the head of the electoral commission, Mr. Cárde-

nas demanded that the commission correct all irregularities and broad-cast its sessions live on national radio and television.

By early Monday, the commission had awarded 75 Chamber of Deputies districts to the Institutional Revolutionary Party, three to PAN, and two to National Dem-

ocratic Front coalitions.

As part of the most ambitious to placate public demands for in-vote-checking effort in Mexico's formation and defuse opposition computer system, then bad weath

sion from releasing preliminary re-Mr. Cardenas, candidate of the sults on election night. ... The Salinas camp has privately. acknowledged probable losses to

On at least two occasions, Mr.

Salinas's aides said that the electoral count was proceeding smoothly and that results were imminent, only to postpone the results again.
Some speculate that political bargaining between the PRI and an opposition bolstered by its strong

showing is to blame for the delay. This theory was strengthened by a report that Mr. Cárdenas and Mr. Clouthier met with President Miguel de la Madrid on Friday.

Still other PRI officials say numerous opposition accusations of . urregularities and demands for a clean count were responsible for

heavily padded with dead or ficti- inary results under the electoral tious voters, political analysts said. commission's auspices in an effort Mr. Bartlett, the interior secrethe delay.

Union, was brief.

"My name is John Norfolk," it began. "On 10-14-87 I was found guilty of driving while intoxicated in Queen Annes County. I was sentenced to 20 days in jail, suspend-ed, and 18 months probation, and to attend Alcoholics Anonymous

"I attended six meetings. Beause of my personal religious beliefs, I stopped. Now I have to go to court. Can you help?"

letter, addressed to the state office Anonymous literature and many of the American Civil Liberties AA meetings are marked by references to "God" and "a power greater than ourselves."

On that basis, the ACLU has agreed to help. It has returned to the Queen Annes County court in which Norfolk was convicted, arguing that the AA attendance requirement should be lifted because it violates Mr. Norfolk's constitutional right to freedom of religion.

Should this argument fail, Mr. Norfolk may be jailed for 20 days. A decision is expected in a week or so. Should the argument prevail,

they also are found to be alcoholics, said recently.

attend AA meetings.

"As an atheist, I'm not violating receive the option of signing up with alternative alcoholic treat-

ment groups, but these — if they exist at all within a particular community — often charge a fee.

his ACLU lawyer, Ellen Luit, the issue is absolutely clear-cut. After he told the authorities he could not, as an atheist, go to any more meetings but was willing to take some other kind of treatment, they told the cult the religious of the county of the

refused to attend any more AA meetings confirms the "block out" it's the only recourse available in our area."

Draper, wrote:

"This agent had a meeting with
Norfolk whereby it was learned
that he felt his civil rights were
their gridlated by his hereby seen op a relationship with a higher being violated by his having to attend the AA meetings because of their religious foundation. This agent informed Norfolk that he in-

Many other Maryland jurisdic- could not block out the religious tions, as well as jurisdictions in references. They were praying and many other states, require that people convicted of drunken driving, if time at the meetings I went to," he

In many cases, the defendants my probation by refusing to go 10 any more meetings. I'm just stick ing up for my constitutional rights."

County health officials, who concluded that Mr. Norfolk should "In John Norfolk's case," said convicted and was remanded to them for handling by the court and attend AA meetings after he was

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other kind of treatment, they took him to 'block out' the religious references at the meetings because he just had to go to them."

Annes Health Department hol and drug abuse program.
"Our overall approach to treatment is oriented heavily toward AA.

A court document filed by pro-bation officers after Mr. Norfolk ment that works best for most peo-

deed had to attend the AA meetings as directed and he was advised ently no other complaint had yel to block out the religious references been fully adjudicated by a court.



diers - had voted for Mr. Carde- confusion grew. Although Mr. the National Action Party. "It's not nas. who led a so-called Democrat- Bartlett said no results were availcoming from the government or the

Perhaps the greatest speculation

has focused on the ambivalent role

being played in this drama by Mr.

Bartlett, who was one of Mr. Sali-

nas's main rivals in the race to

become the governing party's can-didate and whose remaining job in

the government was to see that the

and official results by Wednesday

computer breakdowns to atmo-

spheric conditions to explain the

repeated delays.

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fighting has erupted within Mexico's ruling circles over how to handle the results of the presidential strongly challenged.

sion announced partial returns Monday indicating the PRI's can-didate held a wide lead over his

On the other hand, Mr. Salinas,

In announcing his victory for the both preliminary results and informent.

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ic Current that broke away from able, Mr. de la Vega announced "a the governing party last year.

clear, legal and unquestionable" victory for the party's candidate. victim of a huge betrayal within Soon afterward, Mr. Salinas also the party," said Felipe Bravo claimed victory, but he stressed Mena, chief political adviser to that the opposition had done better Manuel Clouthier, the presidential than ever. The situation inside the PRI candidate of the right-of-center can only be described as chaotic," a National Action Party. "There are

An official of the governing par-

party was re-elected. Privately, many "For many months, Mexican political figures have been warning that it was extraordinarily risky to leave the management of the election in Mr. Bartlett's hands." said Jorge G. Castaneda, an independent political scientist with close ties to both the Salinas and Carde nas camps. In the days leading up to the elections, Mr. Bartlett's Interior Ministry repeatedly promised full

evening. Since then, he has linked drid, is nowhere to be seen."

Almost since the day Mr. Salinas
was chosen as the nominee by Miguel de la Madrid Hurtado in Octothe behavior of the second ber, he has faced serious resistance the impression of a dangerous vacto his candidacy from within tradi- uum of power, with many governtional political and labor sectors of ment officials in a state of shock the ruling party, with the powerful over the pace at which a seemingly monolithic political system has bequietly supporting Mr. Cardenas, 54, the son of a former president.

"Who can provide leadership at "Who can provide leadership at

clash over strategy between Mr. Sa-

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the state legislature to provide for fears of party leaders; fines of up to \$100,000 and prison more often he seems to speak to his more o (Continued from Page 1) at, which oversees Mexican elec-

> eral highways, bridges and border crossings in the northern state of Chihuahua to protest alleged fraud. while Cardenas supporters held small demonstrations in several states, including Veracruz, Michoacan and Tabasco.

peaceful, despite the most intense

Mr. Calles said the results an-nounced Monday were based on tion based on a party's national

poll workers.

sults of races for the 500-seat Chamber of Deputies, where 300

races are to be issued. Only then will the electoral commission begin giving final official results of the most closely contested presidential election in Mexico this century.

Mr. Calles has been issuing prelim-

Atheist Sues to Avoid Alcoholics Sessions By B. Drummond Ayres Jr. New York Times Server ANNAPOLIS, Maryland — The professed atheist. Alcoholics yound Queen Annes County. Mr. Norfolk. 47, a house painter and be upheld on any appeal, the consequences could reach far beyond Queen Annes County. Mr. Norfolk contends that be

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Sandinista Police Use

Tear Gas to End Rally,

By Stephen Kinzer

Sandinista police have used tear

gas, rifle butts and truncheons to

break up an opposition rally here.

jured, and the official Voice of Nic-

aragua radio reported that 38 per-

sons had been arrested. Among them were at least three prominent

opposition leaders.

The incident Sunday was believed to be the first time that the

Sandinista authorities used tear gas

American peace accord in August, there have been several protest marches, most of them uneventful,

in Managua and smaller cities.

None has been suppressed with as

Last week, Sandinista leaders

and the official press warned that

opposition groups had started a campaign, allegedly devised by the U.S. Embassy in Managua, to un-

On the eve of Sunday's protest, Sandinista demonstrators marched

through Nandaime, about 60 kilo-

meters (35 miles) south of Mana-

gua, demanding, according to the

pro-government newspaper Nuevo

Diario, that the authorities "stop

to demonstrate on the streets of our

dermine the government.

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vide it, arguing that, as a former

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against civilian protesters.

Scores of demonstrators were in-

New York Times Service NANDAIME, Nicaragua — The

Arrest 38 in Opposition

ficially authorized and demonstra-tors followed a route approved by

Carlos Huembes, an anti-Sandi.

nista labor leader who is president

of the Democratic Coordinator,

was among those beaten and ar-

rested. The group, which organized the march, is a coalition of opposi-

tion trade unions, business groups and political parties. Two leaders

of the Social Christian Party also.

On Sunday, several thousand marchers moved through the

streets of Nandaime, Some were local residents, but most came from

Managua. The town was hear

militarized, with scores of police armed with automatic rifles.

to an end, the protesters gathered

to hear anti-Sandinista speeches

The first speaker was Myriam Ar.

guello, a leader of the Conservative

Sandinista government live up to

its promise to bring democracy to

She had been speaking for less

than five minutes when a disturbance broke out. Demonstrature

threw sticks and rocks at the police.

Soon more police charged into

who then fired tear-gas grenades.

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of protesters were beaten and

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Sihanouk

Campiled by Our Staff From Disputches BANGKOK - Prince Norodom Sihanouk, considered central to resolving the conflict in Cambodia, has resigned again as head of the Cambodian resistance coalition, his office announced Mon-

The surprise announcement cast doubt on whether he would attend informal peace talks planned this month in Indonesia, although aides Id the prince would continue to work for peace in Cambodia.

He left left Bangkok later Monday for exile in France. For serious reasons that are, for the moment, impossible for me to

enumerate and to explain, please allow me today to resign," he said The prince said before leaving: "I will continue my efforts to help

my country and my people." He said his son and spokesman Prince Norodom Ranariddh, would take his place at talks in Jakarta on July 25, the first meeting of all factions involved in the nineyear conflict.

The announcement that Prince Sihanouk was resigning startled diplomats engaged in elaborate remeavers to bring the warring imbodian factions together.

Diplomats in Bangkok said they fell the prince was either pressuring China to neutralize the Khmer Rauge, the biggest faction in the coalition, or trying to force Vietnam to be more conciliatory in its approach to the talks.

Aides said it did not mean the end to efforts by Prince Sihanouk, to bring an end to the fighting and re-establish himself in a position of nower in his homeland.

Diplomats said the prince's presence at the talks could not be ruled

It said a meeting of nearly 100

doctors, lawyers and scientists was

held in Shanghai last week follow-

ing opinion polls showing over-

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ing or "peaceful and happy death"

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the "right to die" and called for a thanasia for the incurably ill. A

Secretary of State George P. Shultz and President Suharto of Indonesia in Jakarta on Monday. out. "Just because he's stepped down from the coalition, doesn't mean he won't be going there as an individual," a diplomat said. Prince Sihanouk, a former Cambodian head of state, had led a

three-party guerrilla coalition fighting Vietnamese troops that invaded Cambodia in late 1978. He has stunned diplomats before with sudden resignations and un-

predictable changes of mind on rening his functions.

In May last year, he took a one- George P. Shultz, Foreign Minister

brain death and whether cuthana-

sia constituted a crime under Chi-

nese law, the People's Daily said.

year leave of absence as head of the Sosuke Uno of Japan and other the defensive." coalition recognized by the United Nations as the legitimate govern-ment of Cambodia. In January, he said he was resigning after talks with Hun Sen, prime minister of the Phnom Penh government, the six-member Association of failed to produce results but

changed his mind again in March. All through the previous week. Prince Sihanouk had seemed about to take center stage in impending peace talks. Last week, he met in

China Parley and Polls Back Euthanasia BELIING — A Chinese confer- ters earlier this year showed that 90 help everyone understand that peoence on euthanasia has proclaimed percent agreed with voluntary eu- ple not only have a right to life, but

public campaign on "death educa-tion," the People's Daily said Mon-that many already practiced mercy The meeting called for more discussion on the related social, cultural, philosophical and legal is-Last week's conference debated

also a right to die."

problems such as the definition of The Chinese media earlier this year expressed surprise at the apsia, saying it went against tradition- things through," Mr. Shultz said. It said the participants proposed al moral concepts.

Asian leaders. Warnings against the Chinese-backed Khmer Rouge regaining power in Cambodia dominated meetings here last week between Southeast Asian Nations, or ASEAN, and other asian states.

In Jakarta, Indonesia's foreign minister, Ali Alatas, said the talks would go ahead, stressing that they were to involve all four Cambodian Bangkok with Secretary of State factions. "Who will come to represent each faction remains to be make it on the best-seller list." seen," he said.

Mr. Alatas said his government elaborating, that he would visit Jakarta later this month.

In his letter, he apologized for canceling his visit to Jakarta that was to have begun Monday, Mr.

Mr. Shultz, who was visiting Jakarta, said he was surprised by the news of the prince's resignation. "I don't know quite how to inter-

think it will help us, too." pret that, except that I certainly felt that, in my meetings with Prince Sihanouk, he had every intention in which contributed to a record trade parent public support for euthana- one way or another of seeing these deficit, was over. He praised Japan for making

(AP, Reuters, AFP) structural reforms to encourage

Mr. Shultz criticized the coun-

pel a growing perception in Asia that the United States is a great in that direction. power in decline, while nations like Japan are on the rise. Secretary of State George P. Shultz said on Monday that the United States was

trade and prevent a global recession, and he criticized West GerUnited States who wish to increase

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Mr. Shuitz also warned Asian

U.S. Not 'in Decline,' Shultz Tells Asians

many for not taking enough steps protectionism and, from an Asian

growth at home, expand world "Such trade barriers in Asia pro- arson that eventually burns down

countries to abandon rigid structural policies that, he said, prop up inefficient industries, subsidize exports, restrict foreign investment

Singapore's Wedding Woes **Educated Women Too Choosy, Officials Complain**

By Seth Mydans

marry "upward," used here to refer to the practice of women

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has dropped from 4.7 in 1965 to

1.44 last year, below the replace-

A year ago, the acting health minister. Yeo Cheow Tong,

warned that the resulting decline

in the population of young peo-

ple would mean a drop in the tax

base to support the elderly, as

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Economist Association in Jakarta No. York Times Service SINGAPORE — Daniel Lim before flying to Manila, Mr. Shultz, a former professor of economics. is suffering from hypergamy, a described low inflation, a decline in widespread ailment that is causunemployment, an increase in U.S. ing the government of Singapore output of manufactured goods, a serious concern about the future decline in the balance of trade and the targeting of budget deficit goals of its economy, social structure and national defense. as factors contributing to economic Hypergamy is the tendency to

strength. Even with the largest trade deficit in the world, "the United States has a stronger economy than ever

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enjoying "unprecedented growth

and prosperity," worthy of emula-

tion by Asians.
The United States is doing just

fine in adapting to change," Mr. Shultz said in what officials de-

scribed as a major economic policy

speech. "It is a basic characteristic

Speaking to the Indonesian

of our society."

MANILA - In an effort to dis-

before in its history." he said.

American officials traveling with the secretary of state said that his intention was to impress upon U.S. trading partners in Asia that the provocative thesis of "The Rise and Fall of the Great Powers," a book by a Yale history professor, Paul

Kennedy, was unsound.
"The hidden agenda was 10 counter the Kennedy thesis that the United States is in decline," an official said. "The only debate we had was how overtly to make that point. We didn't want to appear to be on

In response to a question on the book, which is on the best-seller list in a number of Asian countries as well as in the United States, Mr. Shultz denied that its central theme - that great powers decline economically when they take on military missions beyond their grasp applies to the United States.

You only get a best-seller if you say that things are going to hell in a handbasket," said Mr. Shultz. "Since I don't think that, I'll never

Mr. Shultz said that the United States could double its military had received a letter from Prince spending and the U.S. economy Sihanouk in which he said, without could still "handle that without any difficulty." He added that the United States was "nowhere near any kind of break point."

In an apparent attempt to alert Asia that the United States did not feel threatened by Japan's economic growth, Mr. Shultz said that Washington "will be glad to see other countries do well because we

He made it clear that the era of unrestricted access to U.S. markets.

will work as well as the old one,

point of view, also reduce competitries of the Association of South tion and consumer choice at East Asian Nations for retaining home," Mr. Shultz said. "To this I and allocate resources by governcan only say that protectionism is ment fiat.

> the government is now urging people to have bigger families. It is offering a package of incen-tives that replace previous in-

ducements to "stop at two." These include tax rebates. child-care subsidies and priority in obtaining government-subsidized housing.

And in an effort to assure quality in a hoped-for baby boom, the government has insti-tuted a matchmaking service that seeks to marry off that 30 percent of educated women whose children, theory has it, will assure that society does not de-

Fully 30 percent of college-This service, the Social Develeducated women in Singapore. unable to find the man of their opment Unit, gets college-educated men and women together dreams, remain unmarried today on moonlight "love cruises," tea - even as nearly all their poorly dances, bowling clinics and semi-nars on such subjects as personal educated sisters continue to mar-Men like Mr. Lim, according

The service says that it has to government officials, often 7.000 registered members, and end up marrying "downward" -that it has produced nearly 500 marriages since its founding in

hypogamy — after they fail to win a woman of their own educa-"If you want to produce ge-Prime Minister Lee Kuan Yew niuses, you have to get the graduexpressed alarm a few years ago ate man to marry a graduate at what he said this was doing to girl," according to the unit's depthe gene pool, asserting: "Levels of competence will decline, our

uty director, Helen Wang. She said well-educated single tration will suffer and society women may be highly productive in the workplace, "but they are not fulfilling their function of

gapore's planners in light of the overwhelming success of the "two is enough" campaign to enhaving families." A good part of the unit's efforts go into propaganda, Ms. The planners are aiming for the current population of 2.6

Wang said.
We try to tell our girls not to expect too much," she explained. They want looks. They want money. They want security. They want a tail man. We have to change those ideals. You cannot look for Mr. Right or Mr. Perfect. So we ask our women to play softer, to play a little dumb

In Singapore, she said, men tend to concentrate on their careers and have little knowledge of social graces. "Some men come to us at the age of 30 and say they have never had a date," Ms. Wang said. "They are

scorned as nerds. They do not

know bow to behave, what to do

with girls. We have a lot of nerds

So, she said, "we try to teach them - maybe not to be Prince Charmings, but we teach them to be halfway, and not be frogs."

Mr. Lim, 29, a quality surveyor for the Defense Ministry and single, is a prime prospect. On the day of the interview, he was in Ms. Wang's office, going

through a book of snapshots of a recent live-day seminar he at-tended on "personal effective-"They were frank and direct,"

Mr. Lim said. "You are in this for one thing: You are in this to be paired off as early as possi-Ms. Wang reminded him:

"But we leave it to you whom to choose. We are not going to tell you whom to pair off with." Mr. Lim recalled: "The counselor was promoting me to the

girls, and she was telling me, 'You better move fast. She's very popular." "May the best man win," Ms.

Wang said.

Newspapers, ever responsive to government campaigns, have joined the mating game with articles on the joys of dating and on overcoming shyness. A booklet called "Living and

Loving," published by the Curriculum Development Institute of Singapore, urged young readers to give dating a try. "Many young people in Singa-

pore do not know what dating is all about except that it is a highrisk activity during which they may lose their high grades and their peace of mind, or become the subject of gossip," the book let said.

It suggested a number of "nut-ty ideas" for dates, including playing Scrapble on the beach armed with a dictionary and a thesaurus" or going to a foreign film at the Goethe Institute.

Once its readers have gotten the idea, it urged them: "Now be creative and make up a list of all the nutty things you would like to do together, like after the ex-

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Hope for Cambodians

The pace of diplomacy aimed at a settlement of the Cambodian question is picking the deadly Khmer Rouge in Cambodia. up: some kind of breakthrough could come later this month. The warring Cambodian factions and Vietnam are to hold a first meeting in Indonesia to explore an inter-national plan for: 1) a timetable for with-in Cambodia, where the Soviet role is to Cambodia nearly 10 years ago; 2) agree- nam, to win support for its own relief aid. in Phnom Penh plus the Communist and cidal Pol Pot resistance, which Beijing has non-Communist resistance groups; 3) a big armed and sustained until now as an instru-international conference including the ment against Moscow's allies in Hanoi. United States to resolve certain outstanding

political, economic and security questions. The deal is far from made, but there is an active role in its general retreat from Indochina in the mid-1970s. The Soviet Union and China then stepped up their contest for regional supremacy, with Mos-

The Soviets and Chinese are now moving toward reduced hostilities. Moscow is backing off, as Beijing had demanded, in Afdrawal of the troops that Vietnam sent into draw back the occupying Vietnamese. Vietment on an interim Cambodian coalition seems increasingly ready to withdraw. Chiinvolving the Vietnam-backed client regime na's role is to control and contain the geno-

It was Cambodia's awful fate to be made the toy of other countries. But those countries, if they are so minded, have it within evident an emerging decision on the part of their power to create the conditions in the involved foreign powers to restrain the which Cambodians can start to make their conflict which they have conducted in and own way. This is, in the first instance, a over hapless Cambodia during the last two Sino-Soviet achievement, and will contribdecades. The United States stopped playing ute to a major improvement in the relations of those two countries if it occurs. But it is a development in which Americans who care for Cambodia can take great satisfaction. — THE WASHINGTON POST.

How to Get Teamwork

gan's foreign policy and defense advisers are pulling together - including in their response to the airliner tragedy in the Gulf. That is no small accomplishment, given the history of incessant warfare among the secresary of state, the secretary of defense and the national security adviser. The next president might take a moment to consider the reasons for the current harmony.

The reasons do not include exhaustion. In its last year the Reagan administration has been increasingly active, and sensibly so, on many foreign fronts — East-West relations, southern Africa, the Middle East as well as on Pentagon budget cuts.

Neither does the harmony arise simply from naming like-minded people to the top posts. Even if they agree at the outset, differences soon appear after the appointees take over (or are taken over by) their bureaucracies. In any event, presidents need advisers with conflicting views.

To harness the security operation, an administration has to do a lot of things right. That is what makes the task so difficult.

See five players, not three: The tendency is to think only of three key officials: Secretary of State George Shultz, Defense Secretary Frank Carlucci and Colin Powell, the national security adviser. But William Webster, the CIA director, and the White House chief of staff have been important participants. The political component of policy has to be supplied in the White House, and with a deft touch on sensitive foreign issues. And either the CIA is included in policymaking or it will go its own way.

Choose a low-key NSC adviser: Two of the best people in this post have been happy to be "inside" men: General Powell and retired Lieutenant General Brent Scrowcroft, They let the secretaries give the speeches and face the cameras while they concentrated on having decisions made at the right time - with

Finally, after seven years, President Rea- all parties getting a full and fair hearing. The most disruptive occupants of this job have been those who sought the limelight and those who were committed to a pronounced point of view. If a national security adviser is more interested in advancing his own position than in preserving the president's choices, trust among the top aides breaks down, with devastating consequences.

Don't appoint ideologues to cabinet posts: Presidents are also served poorly by cabinetlevel aides who know the answers before they have the facts. The ideologues make too many mistakes in trying to conform reality to their theories. And they don't know how to compromise with their colleagues. Former Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger and William Casey of the CIA are examples. It is fine for a president to appoint committed individuals to his administration, but not in the senior positions. Mr. Reagan's present team is conservative but fully professional and capable of looking a fact in the face. Make policy decisions in the White House:

A standard plea to new presidents is to let the secretary of state make foreign policy and the Pentagon boss make defense policy. Government doesn't work that way. Typically, on a hot issue, State Department officials will quarrel with the Pentagon; the Pentagon may challenge a CIA judgment; Commerce may disagree with State. The losers invariably appeal to the president, and until he makes the call every issue is fair game.

The Reagan national security operation has been beset by repeated shortcomings and failures, and some, like Iran-contra, were catastrophic. These have to do with the president's own lassitude and failure to make clear policy decisions. Still, after all the mess of the first seven years, the foreign policy team is now running smoothly. That is a belated blessing for this president and a good example for the next one.

— THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Other Comment

East Europeans Will Cope

Suppose that the steam in Eastern Europe can be released without blowing the roof off. Suppose that the Soviet Union gradually finds it possible to disengage from nations like Poland and Hungary and Czechoslovakia, leaving them, as we in the West put it, "free." What will happen to them afterwards. when the celebrations die down?

Independence from Moscow - and what then? My memory slips back three decades. Then I stood with my generation of conscience, but looking south. Our cause was colonial independence. Once I was the propaganda secretary of Uganda National Congress, a party now almost forgotten. We ran about printing draft constitutions and decorating the governor's lavatory with "Independence Now" stickers. The future. that avalanche of murder, despotism and starvation, was unimaginable.

It's not the mode to ask whether Central Europe will revert to pre-1939 patterns: providers of cheap raw materials and labor for the West, with mini-dictators and foreign-owned factories. (I except always the Czechs.) Personally, I don't believe it. These are highly educated societies now gaining experience in self-management. Their economic adjustment to the big world will be atrociously painful, but they will manage it. Mentally they are the elder brothers and sisters of Europe, far wiser and more experienced than the big babies of the West.

But there are no grounds for the idea that, when the red flag comes down or is joined by others, the movie is over and we can all go home. None at all. It's only after the Cold War trailer that the main feature begins. - Neal Ascherson in The Observer (London).

An Ethnic Puzzle for Moscow

The Soviet Communist Party's extraordinary conference did not settle the claims of Soviet Armenia, and so the unrest among Armenians has resumed with even more bitterness. To date, Armenian protests are not against Soviet rule. But the demonstration at Yerevan airport resulted in violence between the demonstrators and the Soviet troops who were ordered to clear them off the runway.

As the protests start to focus against the way previous protests were put down, they may turn more against the state power itself. The Armenians demand that the district

of Nagorno Karabakh, with its Armenian Christian majority, be detached from the Azerbaijan Soviet Socialist Republic, with its Moslem Azeri majority, and incorporated into the Armenian Soviet Socialist Republic. Nagorno Karabakh holds a substantial minority of Azeris, who may yet be heard from should the Armenian cause advance.

The Kremlin has ruthlessly suppressed the yearnings of non-Russian minorities for seven decades, and has the power to do so again. The self-assigned task of the Central Committee in the comparatively enlightened era of Mikhail Gorbachev is to solve the problem in a sensitive manner that will strengthen the Soviet allegiance of Armenians and Azeris alike. The party conference provided no useful guidance on how to do that.

- The Baltimore Sun.

A Concise List of Engineers

Paying 30 pence for the better class of daily newspaper, I cannot help wondering why they still take up so much space at this time of year with giving us the degree class lists of Oxford and Cambridge universities. If the purpose is that anybody named will buy the newspaper, they might just as well copy out the names from random telephone directories around the country.

However, it has been my practice for several years now to draw attention to the final examination results in the Department of Mechanical Engineering at Strathchyde University as published in The Scotsman, so here goes. This is the complete list of candidates achieving first class honors: Chan Wan Soi. Chung Siong Khin, Chou Siaw Meng, Ken-neth William Dalgarno, Foo Kok Seng, Koh Mui Hau, Lim Soy Seng, Alastair Campbell-McArthur, Joseph Ng Lee Kiang, Tay Eng Huat, Tee Song Jue, Too Chor Chye, Barbara Anne Tolson, Yap Wee Khoon.

My sincere congrarulations to all, especial ly to Barbara Anne Tolson and any other women whose names appear on this list.

-- Auberon Waugh in The Sunday Telegraph (London).

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Tokyo Can Make a Better Case to Moscow

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By Gregory Clark

T OKYO — It's time something was done to clean up Japan's messy "northern territories" dispute with the Soviet Union. It poisons Tokyo-Moscow relations. And now Tokyo wants to use it as a brake on Soviet rapprochement with the West. At the Toronto summit, Japan took a strong anti-Soviet line. It is threaten-

ing to take even stronger action.

The Japanese case seems fairly straightforward. The four islands or island groups in dispute - Etorofu, Kunashiri, Shikotan and the Habomais - were territories that Japan

et Union could take over the Japa- have always belonged to Hokkaido. nese territories of Sakhalin and the Kuril Islands. The United States confirmed Soviet right of ownership in the years immediately after the war. There can be no further argument. In fact there is scope for a lot

more argument, by both sides.
The United States did indeed promise the Kuril Islands to the Soviet Union, but it did so because Franklin Roosevelt and his aides knew little about Japan's strong his-

Franklin Roosevelt and his aides knew little about Japan's strong historical claim to these islands.

acquired peacefully in the 18th and 19th centuries as it expanded its influence north from Hokkaido through the Kurils to what was then the czarist territory of Kamchatka. The Soviet Union seized these territories in the final days of World War II. Japan wants them back, particularly since the allies had stated during the war years that a defeated Japan would only lose those territories that it had taken from others by force.

The Soviet case seems equally straightforward. The disputed islands were promised to the Soviet Union when the United States agreed at Yalta in February 1945 that the Sovi-

W ASHINGTON — Before the Democratic Party's new lead-

ers settle on a vice presidential nomi-

nce, they should bone up on the

party's record in open years - that

is, in years when no presidential in-

cumbent is seeking re-election and

vears figure to make the competition

between parties more nearly even.

But that has not been the case for

Democrats. In the century's six open

elections — in 1908, 1920, 1928,

1952, 1960 and 1968 — the party has

Why such a dismal record? Demo-

crats have not lost with second-

stringers. William Jennings Bryan,

Al Smith, Adlai Stevenson and Hu-

bert Humphrey headed open-year tickets that failed. Nor have Repub-

licans won with world-beaters: twice

their open-year victors were turned

out after a single term. Where the Democratic problem lies is in forma-

Thomas Jefferson, the first ticket-

maker, taught that forming a Demo-

cratic ticket requires careful pairing

of the geography of the vice presi-dential candidate with that of the

presidential candidate. Some config-

urations succeed, others fail. In open

years the party has repeatedly ne-

glected the historical record.

tion of the party's tickets.

won only once, in 1960.

the White House is thus open.

torical claim to these islands, the southern Kuril islands of Etorofu

and Kunashiri in particular. A young U.S. diplomat named George Kennan, then in charge of the State Department research section, wrote a memo to tell them, but his advice was ignored, largely because the United States in those days was very anxious to encourage a Soviet attáck on Japan via Manchuria.

Another point in Japan's favor is that the smaller islands, Shikotan and the Habomais, do not belong to the Kurils. In 1946 the United States endorsed Soviet control over these islands, but administratively they

How Not to Pin the Tail on the Donkey

By Horace W. Busby

On the 10 winning Democratic

tickets, the vice presidential candi-

Seven of the party's last eight

date has always been from the Cen-

were from states on opposite sides

of the Mississippi River. Tickets with vice presidential can-

didates from Texas have never lost.

Texas, have never won; they have

lost three times. The same goes for

Time-zone overlaps, with both

candidates from states fully or par-

tially in the same time zone, have

been high risk. While Democrats

have twice won on such tickets,

overlaps have lost five times, the

most losses for any configuration.

When choosing open-year vice presidential candidates, Democrats

have not beeded these records. Five

out of six times they have opted for

losing configurations -- time-zone

overlaps in 1908 and 1920, North-

South combinations in 1928 and

1952, and a North-North alignment

The only time in an open year

that Democrats went with a win-

ning configuration - the Massa-

(Minnesota-Maine) in 1968.

North-South tickets, excluding

tral Standard Time zone.

North-North tickets.

Since incumbents nearly always victories since 1932 were won on win (12 of 16 times since 1900), open tickets in which the two candidates

None of this means that Japan's case is airtight. Most of Tokyo's ire is over "illegal" Soviet occupation of the two main islands in dispute, Etor-ofu and Kunashiri. Yet in the 1951 San Francisco peace treaty which Japan signed with the United States and others, it is stated unequivocally that Japan "renounces all right and claim to the Kuril Islands."

Government spokesmen told a lands," as used in the treaty, included Etorofu and Kunashiri.

Today Japanese spokesmen say that historically the term Kuril Islands did not include Etorofu and Kunashiri. Asked about the 1951 committee statements, they prevaricate. Some also say, rather contradictorily, that when Japan renounced the Kurils it did not say to whom they should go, so Japan is right to claim Etorofu and Kunashiri.

Needless to say, these arguments make little impression on Moscow. If Tokyo could be a little less devious and a little more legalistic it could improve its case enormously. Japan did not willingly renounce the Kuril Islands at San Francisco. It did so because it was forced to do so by the United States. Washington did this because it still felt it should abide by

chusetts-Texas ticket in 1960 - the

For 1988, Democrats are off to a

promising start. The nominee-to-be

is a governor of an Atlantic sea-

board state; that has been a feature

of the party's tickets for three of the

four times it has won the White

could squander the strength at the

top of the ticket by choosing a run-

ning mate from any of the follow-

ing: the deep South, the far North,

the Eastern Standard Time zone or

Texas is out; Republicans demon-

strated the folly of having a vice presidential nominee from the state

of the other party's presidential can-

didate when in 1960 such a choice

led to their only open-year defeat.

Democratic ticket-makers might

break new ground by venturing into

the Mountain or Pacific time zones,

trying a governor-governor ticket

or maybe a governor-preacher com-

bination. If they stay with success-

ful precedents, though, they will

seek a running mate in a Central

Time zone state other than Texas.

The writer, a longtime adviser to

Lyndon Johnson, publishes The Bus-

by Papers. He contributed this com-

ment to The Washington Post.

west of the Mississippi.

any state east of the Mississippi.

But Democratic ticket-makers

House away from Republicans.

party was victorious.

the Yalta agreements and because a very anti-Japanese Australian delega-tion was breathing down its neck.

The most the United States would do at the time was admit that there might be some doubt about the ownership of Shikotan and the Habomais. As a defeated, occupied nation, Japan had little choice but to go along with the tough U.S.-Australian line.
This explains Tokyo's curious ma-

neovering ever since. It was, naturally, very unhappy about what had happened at San Francisco. So when special committee of the Diet soon after this that the term "Kuril Isshould demand all the Kurils.)

> return the Okinawa islands. In a complete about-face on its 1951 position, the United States also told Japan formally that the Yalta agreements did not apply to the

> In the Cold War climate of the time, these were brilliant moves. Tokyo revived its claim to all the disputed islands. The peace treaty with Moscow was aborted, and the Russians withdrew their promise to return Shikotan and the Habomais. A budding Soviet-Japanese dialogue was replaced with 30 years of mutual suspicion. Machin-

> If Tokyo really wants to get its "northern territories" back, it should: Publicize, not hide, the copious diplomatic correspondence that shows how Japan was pressured by the United States at San Francisco

the islands he was bargaining away.

returned they will be permanently unarmed and open to Soviet inspection. Japanese conservatives like to argue that never in history have the Russians returned captured territory. They are wrong Denmark, Finland and China all regained territory from the Soviet Union after World War II. It is true, though, that there is no case of the Soviets abandoning anything they gained at Yalta. They fear

It is important for Japan to pull together a case strong enough to justify such a precedent. Given the importance that Moscow now places on better relations with Japan, this should not be impossible. Talking would be better than the present ugly stalemate.

Regard Israelis' Fear as a Problem to Be Solved

A New Leaf
Or a Flash
In the Pan?

By Jim Hoagland

P ARIS — America's export boom is a thing of beauty. But could in turn out to be a flash in the pan that postpones the day of reckoning for the most massive budget and trad-deficits the world has ever known? The answer lies largely in the hands of America's manufacturers who have traditionally shumed of port markets as being too much trouble and too small. They designed products and marketing campaigns for the lucrative American markets and deigned to let foreigners compared to let f

and take away the leftovers. But the fiscal and monetary policy of the Reagan years have at least temporarily changed that. The man who foreigners feared, and many Americans hoped, would turn our to be an isolationist has in fact presided over a sharp increase in American involvement in the world economy and particularly in trade.

He probably did not intend it to turn out that way. But, stimulated by the Reagan tax cuts and a strong dollar that made imports relative cheap, the American economy for six years sucked in foreign-made goods, while exports stagnated. A trade deficit of "only" \$150 billion will be a positive accomplishment if the ad-

ministration can bring it off this year.

In the past 12 months the sing drop in the value of the dollar hard. spurred exports by about 30 percent in volume, comparing the first quarter of 1987 to this year. But the net improve ment in the U.S. trade delicit amount. ed to only 15 percent in the same period because of the continuing flow

of imports into the United States. ... That improvement is important to the presidential campaign of George Bush, who seems to be saying that a continuation of Ronald Reagan's conomic policies will resolve the budget and trade deficits through growth that painful tax and interest rate increases which would curb the consumer binge on imports will not be necessary, since the export boom will take

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care of the trade deficit. As that great philosopher Sporting Life once said, "It aim't necessarily so." It won't be so unless manufacturers make the investment both in facilicreate and sustain an export culture.

During the period of the dollar decline, U.S. goods sold abroad on price basis. They have become the international marketplace's "cheap foreign goods," to use the phrase from recent American history. That wave based on price advantage has probably crested. The dollar's recent upward movement to more normal levels against the yea, the mark and other currencies suggests that American exporters will soon have to begin fighting their foreign competitors on a quality and market ing basis as well as on price.
West European business leaders

estimate that it takes a generation to produce an export culture. American industry could probably cut that to a ed. But many Americans and European businessmen have doubts about U.S. firms being prepared to make

this kind of commitment now. In 1987, U.S. manufacturers who profited most from the weak dollar did not plow those profits back into expansion. They sat tight, waiting to see what the dollar would do. Statistics for the first quarter of 1988 saggest that the investment outlook for this year will be better; but it is far from certain that this surge of new investment will continue.

Nor are the signs encouraging that American industry is making much sustainable progress in reconqu those parts of the domestic market that have been penetrated by foreign manufacturers. As The Economist to cently noted. Americans will spend \$60 billion more this year importing 1 million foreign cars than foreignes will spend on the 100,000 U.S. automobiles that will be exported. The deficit in consumer goods also seems stuck, at around \$75 billion at an an-

jiggle up or down in any given quarter but will not go away as long as consumption is not curbed by the classic measures of tax increases, interest rate hikes or a combination of the two.

idea that the United States should emulate Brazil and try to grow its way out of the foreign debt of the Resgan years, is unrealistic. The country can do much better in winning over export markets, but it also has to break the narcotic-like addiction it has developed for ever increasing consumption and in particular for foreign goods. The Washington Post.

100, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1888: A Society Auction

LONDON - The sum of 28,142 pounds and two shillings is the result of the great sale at Christie's of arms and pictures from the Londesborough estate. The sale lasted six days, and the scene around the auctioneer's rostrum at times assumed the aspect of a society gathering. The Prince of Wales was one of the first to inspect the collection, and in his course came people from all parts of the world of beauty and fashion, law and commerce, actor and artist and dealer, many of whom looked like antiques themselves.

1913: Spaniards Pleased

MADRID - Great enthusiasm has been aroused in Spain by the suggestion made by the Harvard University men that a Spanish vessel should be the first to pass through the Panama Canal, from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Senator Lopez Munoz, the Minislem was born of war, not by design, invitation is sent, the Spanish govern-

it is suggested should be selected for the honor of being the first to pass through the canal is the full-sized model of the caravel in which Columbus sailed to discovery of the New World, and which was used in the celebrations in 1892.

PARIS - Lanky, tousie-headed

Howard Hughes, the millionaire of the movies who shattered all stan-dards by landing his Lockheed "Fly-

ASHINGTON — Although the news from the Middle East has been unremittingly bleak, I've found some hope to leaven my despair. For under the anger and bitterness, I heard from the many people I spoke with there a great wish on all sides to be done with the hostilities.

Last month I joined 14 men and women who traveled to Israel, Gaza and the West Bank, as well as Egypt. Jordan and Syria, in search of a better understanding of the region. Visiting Yad Vashem, Israel's memorial to the Holocaust dead. I once again entered the nightmare world of the photographs which chronologically document the roundup and destruction of the Jews. I found, as I always find in those pitiless pictures, my neigh-bors, friends, parents, children, husband, self. Again I was reminded, as I always am reminded, why Jewish survival is linked to a Jewish state.

But if that is the only lesson of those photographs, then Israel and Jews are in a lot of trouble. For although I agree with Elie Wiesel, who argues that the Holocaust cannot be compared with anything else, it surely must teach us, along with its powerful political lesson, the dangers of regarding any people as any-

thing less than fully human. For a long time it has been fairly easy for Israelis, for American Jews, for me, to minimize the conflict between those two lessons. We have focused on Israel's survival and treated the issue of something called "Palestinian rights" as a troublesome invention of Israel's enemies. But the intifada - the seven-month uprising in the occupied territories has put flesh and blood on the Palestinian "problem." In newspaper pictures, on television and, for me, on a painful trip to Gaza, Palestinians have acquired a human face.

It was there that I met Christine. attractive and bright, with a doctor husband and two young daughters, a Palestinian woman who reminded me of me and of many other women i know. Except, she is working and raising her family under the choking constraints of Israel's military occupation, which imposes controls on everything from travel and work to planting an olive tree. Surely this is Israel, Britain and the United States.

no life to offer your children. Doesn't in response to the uprising. How she ever, I asked her, want to get out? She paused a moment, slightly embarrassed, then told me: "Yes. And we did decide to get out. In fact, we got exit visas to go to Canada." But when the time came, she said, "We

couldn't do it. We just couldn't go." At a hospital in Gaza I visited four young boys, skinny dark-haired kids a lot like mine. Except, they had decided to bust out of their dead-end lives and had wound up badly beaten by Israeli soldiers. One boy, speaking English, told us his arm had been broken twice - broken, set in a cast, broken again. And then he added three words that brought tears to my eyes and actually made me gasp with shock: "They're not human."

This is not the kind of a statement

most Israelis could peacefully coexist

ever expected to hear about a Jew. But even the Israelis concede that they have done some terrible things

to compel a desperate people to relinmanity will they give up for survival? Israelis have - yet - surrendered

> message, repeated wherever we went, that Israel's neighbors now accept that Israel is a permanent fact of life. As one Palestinian woman put it, toughly and unsentimentally: "We suaded that both are possible. may never forgive the Israelis, but we

have to live with them."

ome Israelis bate the Palestinians. I have returned from the Middle East with a slight flutter of hope many bones are they willing to break because I believe that both sides are disposed to make peace. Beneath the quish their claims to a name and a Israeli hate is a fear of annihilation, state of their own? How much hu- which, I am convinced, is the biggest manity will they give up for survival? obstacle to peace. But this fear, I I don't, however, believe that the think, must be perceived as a problem to be solved - and not as a their humanity. Indeed, I believe that justification for solving nothing.

A way must be found to assuage with the Palestinians, could even ac- the Israeli fear of annihilation. A way cept a Palestinian state, if they could must be found to enable Israel to live be convinced that their long-term side by side with a Palestinian state, safety and survival were not at risk.

At Yad Vashem, the Holocaust im-

I also have come to believe the ages speak about survival and humessage repeated wherever we went, manity. For Christine, for the boy with the twice-broken arm, for the soldiers who broke that arm and for Jews everywhere, Israel must be per-

The writer, author of many books for Even though some Palestinians children and adults, contributed this hate the Israelis, and even though comment to The New York Times.

Jewish or Arab. It was largely a by-

product of Arab and Jewish fears and

of the protracted, bitter fighting that

characterized the first Israeli-Arab

The old forget, and the young grow

up hearing selective accounts in which

the messiness of real history is tidied

really happened will not end a bitter

dispute over land, but dispelling

myths is a beginning. More studies in

the same spirit would be a benison.

The New York Times.

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tary commanders and politicians."

Neither Side Planned the Palestinian Exodus

N EW YORK — An Israeli jour-nalist, Benny Morris, has written a careful and timely book about the origins of Israel's endless conflict with Palestinian refugees. It addresses two questions. Were Arabs expelled from Israel as part of a predetermined Zionist plan? Or did Palestinians flee voluntarily, as instructed, in the expectation that they would return after invading Arabs had driven Jews into the sea?

Refugee Problem, 1947-1949" (Cambridge University Press), Mr. Morris offers little comfort to adherents of either view. His volume is a case study in the fallibility of memory. the time. They can distort or lie, but, as he found, they do so far less than interviewees recalling controversial events 40 years later. Such interviews vealed enormous gaps of memory, the

Mr. Morris, diplomatic correspon-

He relies chiefly on documents of

In "The Birth of the Palestinian

ravages of accepted wisdom, prejudice and political beliefs and interests." dent of the Jerusalem Post, dug into recently declassified state papers in

For an End to Israeli Occupation

WE ARE deeply concerned about the continuing unrest in the West VV Bank and Gaza Strip. Dozens of Palestinians have been killed and hundreds injured by Israeli security forces in the worst outbreak of violence in the occupied territories since 1967. The Palestinian uprising is a direct result of 20 years' occupation. This occupation has entailed denial of the Palestinian right to self-determination and led to mass arrests, forced deportations, land expropriation and other restrictions on human rights. We believe that continuation of the occupation will lead to more violence.

We support a settlement based on mutual recognition between Israel and the Palestinians, and the legitimate right of both sides to security and national self-determination. We call for an end to Israeli occupation and the convening of an international peace conference for all parties concerned, including Israe and the PLO, issuing in security guarantees to be subscribed to by the United States and the Soviet Union and all other parties attending the conference.

—A letter from London to The New York Times signed by A. J. Ayer, Graham Greene. H. L. A. Hart, John Le Carré, John Mortimer and P. F. Strawson.

By Karl E. Meyer

He has pieced together, with clinical detachment, what happened in hun-dreds of cities and settlements. Here attereation of lewish and Arab miliis the story that emerges: This exodus began after November

1947, when Arabs rejected a United Nations plan for partitioning Palestine, then under British rule, It was at first a confused, uncoordinated flight from big cities. Most evacuees be-longed to better-off urban families, and many left hoping to return after a successful Arab intervention.

Then in the spring of 1948 came

the main emigration, 200,000 to 300,000 Arabs, in the wake of a British pullout and Israel's proclamation of independence. Did Arabs flee, as is often asserted, after hearing broadcast instructions from Arab armies preparing to invade? Mr. Morris found no evidence of such broadcasts nor, for that matter, of orders reassiming earlier appeals to stay put. The absence of public instructions, especially during a massive movement from Haifa, is to the authorizing the statement of the statement from Haifa, is to the authorizing the statement from Haifa. thor telltale evidence of ambivalence among Arab leaders reaching for reasons to justify armed intervention, Similar improvisation marked the Israeli response. There was no master strategy to drive Arabs from Palestine. or even a consensus about the right of return for those who had fled. But

as a primary means of actueving this aim." This was followed by a decision not to let the refugees return. Mr. Morris offers a careful judgment: "The Palestinian refugee prob-

when the mass exodus occurred, "ideas about how to consolidate and give per-

manence to the Palestinian exile began to crystallize, and the destruction of

the villages was immediately perceived

ment will accept it in the most friend ly and grateful spirit. The ship which

1938: Hughes Lands

ing laboratory in Paris yesterday [July 11] after having spanned the Atlantic in record time (16 hours and 31 minutes), may have made history history - but to him the trip was "really uneventful." Hughes, speaking for his companions, termed the trans-Atlantic hop "perfect" and evinced pardonable pride in his navigators, but he countered that with the word that the flight had been more tiring than expected.

Union, it felt that at the very least it should and could demand the "northern territories." (Some felt that it Moscow agreed to return Shikotan and the Habomais, but refused any concession over Etorofu and Kunashiri. And when the Japanese said, reluctantly, that they would accept this compromise, the United States, in the form of John Foster Dulles, intervened to say that if Japan dropped its claim to Etorofu and Kunashiri, the United States would see no need to honor its promise to

northern territories.

velli would have applauded.

into renouncing the Kuril Islands.

 Tell Moscow that while it appreciates Soviet reluctance to allow any exception to the Yalta agreements, there is firm evidence that Mr. Roosevelt did not know the background of · Agree that if the territories are

that to do so would set a dangerous precedent for Eastern Europe.

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nual rate," the magazine pointed out.
This seems to me to add up to an , unhealthy U.S. trade deficit that will.

The Bush approach, based on the

OPINION

By Jim Hoagland D ARIS — America's export been turn out to be a flash in the pan be the most massive budger and not deficit the world has ever turn. The answer lies largely in the who have traditionally shanned a who have traditionally shanned to the markets as being the shanned of the same traditionally shanned to the same traditional traditional same traditi

hands of America's manufactors who have traditionally manufactors who have traditionally manufactors port markets as being too made to ble and too small. They despet for the furtative American take and take away the leftovers.

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He probably did not intend it to the Reagan tax cuts and a sme dollar that made imports religious.

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That improvement is important the presidential campaign of Gap Bush, who seems to be saying to continuation of Ronald Regarders against policies will resolve the batand trade deficits through good-that painful tax and interes me creases which would curb the come er cinze on imports will not be mo sary, since the export boom with care of the trade deficit.

As that great philosopher spar Life once said, "It in more so." It won't be so unless mandre ers make the lavestment both nine ties and in outlook that is reported create and sustain an exponent

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Taylor Parks The state of the s the second secon Silver Si

[More than 100,000 demonstra- but no violence was presented. tors gathered at a rally in Yerevan on Monday, official sources told the airport clash was evoked at the

wants transferred to its administra- out. The hundreds of thousands of

peaceful demonstrators who gath-

The description of the clash at Yerevan's Zvartnots Airport ofby an unruly mob that damaged the economy of the area and put wom-

A very different description of

derers!"

Throughout much of the territorial dispute, Stepanakert, the capital of the Nagorno-Karabakh enclave, has been the scene of persistent strikes. But until last week, virtually all the violence reported had taken place in Azerbai-

ziness, weakness, and coughing.

Crowds in Yerevan's central Op-era Square, already upset by the discuss the five-month-old crisis airport registration area, and at-over the disputed region of Nagor- tacked them with the truncheons conference to offer more than cursory attention to the Nasorno-Karabakh issue, put forth four demands. These were reuniting of the yard crowd yelled, as clenched fists rose and fell. "Out with the murpublic, a change of venue in the Sumgait trials from the Azerbaijani capital of Baku, an investigation of the Masis incident, and full press coverage of all events relating to

these issues. In fact, national television coverlence had already come to Yerevan

Regarding "Can Anyone Bring Peace to the Mideast?" (Opinion, June 24): their advice. Despite Mr. Cohen's confidence that the threat to Israel's existence Elie Wiesel, spokesman for the vicis "not immediate," the fate of the occu-pied territories is a matter of life and tims of the Holocaust, has failed to speak out in defense of most of the nondeath for us. Serious, caring help in the Jewish oppressed people of the world. search for a peaceful solution penetrates His silence and acquiescence in Israel's rut because of the risks of kidnapping. straight to our hearts, because peace is policy of repression, particularly the inour only hope; righteous indignation from American Jews who claim connecvasion of Lebanon and the use of force in the occupied territories, cast shadows tion to us only to disclaim responsibility on his basic philosophy of peace. for our policies and our fate - such MOHAMED ALWAN. "advice" can only call forth resentment. Altea, Spain. ELISABETH SPERLING. Back to Bach, Maestro Haifa, Israel.

Cohen misunderstands Elie Wiesel so fundamentally. He turns Mr. Wiesel's speak out against his article on Israel, civil and national rights.
"For a Federated State in the Holy
TIM LI to give weight and justification to their Land" (Opinion, July 4). Every sentence

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

How does Jewishness alone endow

issues like these than to launch an attack

sanctimonious about Israel?

Why Should Israelis Listen Patiently to Cross Kibitzers?

mitment" if the critic has never done on the messenger who raises them.

to Criticize Israel?" (June 29). Mr. Coben

argues that criticism of Israel's policies

should be welcomed and weighed regard-

Does a people in mortal danger seek the advice of its enemies? Or even of

disinterested strangers? How are we in

Israel to believe that criticism is an "ex-

pression, above all, of concern and com-

Criticism is welcomed from those who

It is difficult to know why Richard

powerful critique of those like Woody

Allen, who have used their Jewishness

are ready to share the consequences of

anything to show such commitment?

less of the critic's motives.

is a misconception based on inaccuracies. I would have expected more from someone who visits here often. Seldom do liberal intentions find such negative comments on Israel, into an awkward expression as Richard Cohen's ad hominem attack. But the issues are in his opinion column "When Is It Proper much more substantial: I wish he would stick to music. I have

HAVE YOU HEARD C THE GOOD NEWS? THEY'VE DEFEATED MEAN OLD MR. TOOTH DECAY IN KIDS!

fond memories of the solo Bach work he played in Jerusalem for a joint audisomeone who has no other qualifica-tions with the standing to judge the complex politics of the Middle East? Is it really improper to question the ence of Arabs and Jews. TEDDY KOLLEK.

Mayor of Jerusalem.

motives of those who are suddenly so They Went Despite Risks Regarding "This Floating Standard Perhaps it is harder to address real

Looks Dangerous" (Opinion, June 16): Robert Goldmann is wrong about the Western media and the recent Beirut fighting. The BBC, at home and overseas, and all the serious British and U.S. newspapers carried regular reports and did send correspondents, at some considerable risk, to West Beirut, which is normally off-limits to Western correspondents; the BBC, for example, does not allow staff correspondents into Bei-

Mr. Goldmann also digs out that weapon of last resort of Israel's supporters. anti-Semitism, and wonders why the Western press does not "judge" the fighters of Beirut. The answer is simple. Hezbollah and Amal are not the armies of democratic parliamentary states and they are not, after 21 years, despite this I have high regard for Yehudi Menu-hin as a musician and as a man devoted to many public causes. But I feel I must
their citizens and denying them their

TIM LLEWELLYN.

Driving Foreigners Crazy: Malaysia in Passing Gear

By Deborah Fallows

KUALA LUMPUR — I've been rough equivalent of a British lord) whom. driving for more than half my life I sat next to at a dinner said he thought — right-hand drive, left-hand drive, such behavior was due to the seeming automatic, four-on-the-floor, trucks, anonymity of the driver. In person-tomotor homes, vans, you name it.

through roundabouts in England, in the outback of Australia and the game

MEANWHILE

parks of Kenya, through snow and ice in northern Ohio, and even briefly on the streets of Rome. But I've never, in more than 20 years, seen anything quite like the driving in Malaysia.

Malaysia straddles the border be-tween complete modernity and enduring Third World traits. The daily scene on the roads illustrates the combination. Mercedes and Volvos rev their engines behind vendors on bicycles pedaling heavy sidecars toward the roadside spot where they will set up a sugar cane juice stand. Families of four and five putter along on a single motorcycle, while cars putter along impatiently behind them. Malaysian traffic seems out of sync

with the rest of Malaysian life. The pace in Kuala Lumpur is usually leisurely. You learn to take it easy in the never-varying tropical heat. "You wait a while" in Malaysian English replaces "I'll be with you a second" in American English. And the Malays are a gentle people - but something happens to them when they get behind the wheel of a car.

Whenever our family drives any distance outside the city, we invariably see buses that have skidded off the road, multicar pile-ups, burnt-out remains of recent explosions. Even on the 10-minute drive to my children's school, I am no longer surprised to see cyclists flying over the hood of a car, or pedestrians leaping out of the way of vehicles bear-ing down on them. Or cement trucks, of which there seem to be a curiously large number, weaving in and out of traffic.

Rumbling trucks laden with stupen dous tree trunks whip through city traffic on their way from the rain forests to the port of Klang. There are many more chauffeur-driven cars in Kuala Lumpur than in Washington. These cars are the worst offenders. It is as if neither the driver, who is only taking orders, nor the boss, who is not doing the driving, can be held responsible for how the car behaves.

Malaysians love to pass on blind curves or going up hills. They routinely ride up on each other's tails, going 50, 60, 70 miles an hour and impertinently flashing their headlights. The standard method for turning right (like left in America) across traffic is to simply pull out, assume that oncoming cars will stop for you and drive on the wrong side of the middle line until someone lets you queeze into your proper lane.
What comes over these people when

person dealings, treating someone else I've driven on Texas highways, in the so aggressively or rudely would cause West Virginia mountains, clockwise great loss of face, and Malaysians value decorum almost as much as the world champs, the Japanese. But inside a car. where you are likely to be seen only vaguely and fleetingly, anything goes.

The between-two-worlds culture of Malaysia may also be an explanation for the terrifying driving. Unlike in poorer countries, in Malaysia many ordinary people can afford cars, and the roads are smooth and wide enough that it is easy to go fast. And, unlike richer countries. Malaysia has no ingrained "driver education" culture. Whenever I see another shell-shocked foreigner behind the wheel. I know I have encountered one of the handful of defensive drivers in the country.

The perilous driving is all the more puzzling since alcohol plays a very small part. Most Malaysians are Moslems and thus in principle do not drink.
(One theory, in fact, explains Malaysians' driving habits by postulating that they get in the car and simply put themselves in the hands of Allah.)
Some cheat on this rule, of course, but you rarely see them drunk. Their traffic accidents, it would seem, are not the result of impaired judgment or miscal-culation, but of clearheaded, middle-of-the-day recklessness.

When the current king of Malaysia was a younger sultan in his native southern state of Johore, another motorist had the impertinence to pass him on the road. The sultan caught up with him and shot him to death.

Malaysia has plenty of police, in snappy and tasteful uniforms. They always seem to be in the middle of some enforcement campaign, but instead of focusing on the major problems - tailgating and speeding — they usually con-centrate on such technicalities as road taxes and car accessories. One week we read headlines about a

crackdown on tinted windows. (These seem to be a sensible antidote to the brutal sun, but now I suspect that most people have them to remain anonymous as they mow down other drivers.)

I have been stopped twice for tintedwindow inspections, regularly for roadtax sticker inspection and occasionally for routine license checks.

When it finally happened that my car was hit by a truck last month, the case officer suggested that I was perhaps going too slowly in the passing lane. The implication was that the truck that smashed me sideways as if to bump me off the road was perfectly within its rights.

Mrs. Fallows, a writer currently resid-What comes over these people when they get inside a car? One datuk (the ment to The Washington Post.

GENERAL NEWS

Armenians Now Fear Surge in Violence

By Felicity Barringer New York Times Service MOSCOW --- "Our young women greeted the soldiers with flowers when they came in a few months ago," a Yerevan resident, Samson Tomazyan, said on Sunday, a few minutes before he rose to address an angry crowd gathered at Moscow's Armenian cemetery. "They won't be giving them flowers any-

On July 5, the sporadic violence spawned by a resurgent territorial dispute between Armenia and neighboring Azerbaijan came home to Yerevan, the capital of Armenia A 22-year-old demonstrator was killed and 36 were injured during a strike that shut down the main airport for at least 24 hours.

That death, following other incidents, has helped change the emo-tional chemistry of the demonstrators in Yerevan.

"People are anxious," Mr. Tomazyan said. They fear it's going to get worse."

The Latest Word on Meese:

Ethically Gauche, Not Venal

By William Safire

assurances not to attack an Arab pipeline, thereby building a peace on economic lines. When the proposal came

to the attorney general, and the secre-

tary of state was recused because of his

Bechtel background, Mr. Meese sent it

on to the national security adviser.

What was wrong — stupid, really — was for Mr. Meese's friend and counsel,

E Robert Wallach, to pass along an

unsupported allegation of corrupt intent

made by a middleman about the Israeli

prime minister. Shimon Peres later hotly

and believably denied any deal to re-ceive millions for his Labor Party. The middleman was mouthing off, and Mr. Wallach foolishly immortalized a slan-

derous boast in a memo. (Doesn't any-

body here know how to play this game?) One of Mr. Meese's mistakes was in trusting his friend's business judgment.

Mr. Wallach, of good lifelong repute but

afflicted by hubris, was apparently conned by Wedtech; he now faces trial in New

York on the testimony of confessed crooks bargaining to reduce their sentences by

election as media villain of the year caused editor Steven Brill of The American Law-yer magazine, hardly a Meese enthusiast, to erupt with a contrarian cover story.

But the beat goes on: When much of the

special prosecutor's report appeared in The New York Times before the rebuttals

by Messrs, Meese and Wallach could be

that he be held in contempt — of them.

What's next? We can expect a blast

from the independent counsel at the re-

the attorney general and the same

peated insensitivity to propriety shown

spirited, don't-give-an-inch Meese de-fense as was shown on "Meet the Press"

on Sunday. As a good ideological sol-

dier, the man who remade the federal

struggle involving Mr. Meese? Not the

avoidance of controversy; in my book, he was right on federalism and wrong

on libertarianism, but he vigorously

Here's the rub: When asked last

week what qualifications should be

sought in his replacement, the Meese answer was revealing: (1) loyalty to the

He has the order wrong. That's the

way it used to be in the days of Robert

Kennedy and John Mitchell, but now we

expect attorneys general to be like Ed Levi or Griffin Bell, who were more loyal to their oath than to their leader.

warn that it will contribute to the isola-

tion of the president, but times have

The New York Times.

changed. That's the way it is.

Old loyalists call that selfish and

stood up for the conservative ideas he

helped his boss believe in.

president and (2) integrity.

What is the lesson of the unrelenting

bench agreed to go - but not quietly.

pended, competing reporters furious at ing scooped pointed to Mr. Wallach as

espected source, all but demanding

"The Lynching of Bob Wallach."

king him more knave than fool. His

Nothing terrible about that.

WASHINGTON — Fifteen months ago I gloomily prophesied that the Wedtech scandal, then overshad-

owed by the Iran-contra affair, "may turn out to be our era's top-dollar cor-

ruption." I was mistaken. At that very

moment a child-molesting defense con-tract consultant, wired and singing, may.

have been leading investigators to a Pen-tagon scandal that made Wedtech's pre-

The Wedtech influence-peddling in-

vestigation, unlike the Harding era's

Teapot Dome, did not send a member of

still unreleased report made available to The New York Times last week, stated

flatly that the evidence "does not show

any criminal wrongdoing by Mr. Meese in relation to Welbilt/Wedtech."

Did Ed Meese err in helping that

Bronx minority enterprise, later discovered to be corrupt, get a "fair hearing."

which led to a contract? Of course he did; he should have let Pentagon pro-curement officials protect the public in-

But investigation has turned up no

guilty Meese intent, nor was his profit

from an investment adviser who was later connected with Wedtech deemed

a payoff. We will not fall into the falla-

cy of post hoc ergo propter hoc — "after this, therefore because of this." What

happened subsequently did not neces-

sarily happen consequently.

Ed Meese was ethically gauche but

not venal, and to that extent can claim vindication. To his friends who com-

plained that my column of last year gave

a publicity lift to investigators, I admit

The Iraqi oil pipeline "scandal" was another matter. That charge I held was

a non-starter from the start, hooking in those ready to believe the worst be-

cause they disagreed with the Meese

judicial philsophy.

The idea was good: to obtain Israeli

Let's Hear the Names

COMIC relief aside, the Meese epi-sode ought to be a public reminder

of how critical are the standards and

criteria employed by a president in choosing his key advisers. Both presidential nominees ought to

announce their key choices for cabinet

and advisory positions after the two na-

tional conventions — if not the final

selections, at least names of those being

considered for top positions. This would

enable citizens to have a better idea of

what they might expect when a president begins selecting officials whose actions will affect their lives for years.

It won't happen, but it should. It

might spare America the embarrassment

and mistakes of an Edwin Meese 3d.

- Syndicated columnist Haynes Johnson.

to an excess of suspicion.

terest in their own unique way.

the president's cabinet to jail. The spe-cial prosecutor, in the portions of his

dations look like peanuts.

tion from that of Azerbaijan.]

ered in Yerevan in February, opti-mistic that a decades-old dispute would be resolved by democratic means within the Soviet system, are now less orderly and less disposed to good will as they confront Soviet soldiers who have shown a willingness to use force.

fered by the evening television news program "Vremya" last week painted a picture of an unlawful act en and children through grueling delays. Armed soldiers were shown in arguments with demonstrators.

Armenian Communist Party lead- witness, they gave a 30-second er, Suren G. Arutyunyan, said So-viet leaders would convene soon to conducting a peaceful sit-in in the no-Karabakh, which Armenia even before the 30 seconds had run

"Worse than Chile!" the church-

The worst violence had occurred in February when the Nagorno-Karabakh legislature voted to request reunion with Armenia. This prompted huge demonstrations of support in Yerevan, and a vicious outburst of violence in the Azerbaijani city of Sumgait, where at least menians, were killed.

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age noticeably increased last week and the venue was changed in the Sumgait trials. But by then, vio-

For the Yerevan demonstrators, who had for months kept their large-scale protests peaceful, this

violence cut too close.
"Five thousand people buried one person," said Zori Balayan, a journalist who is a member of a council of older, respected Arme-32 people, most of them ethnic Ar-nian intellectuals formed to help mediate the dispute. "Some say our Then last month a mysterious people are used to spilling much

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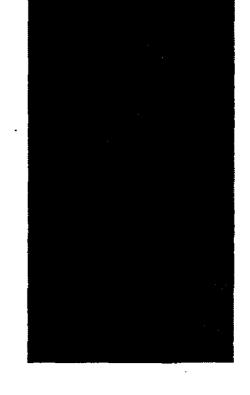
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New York Times Service
BUDAPEST — Vienna and Bu-

1995 that they hope will bring glory garian Empire." Last May, the Austrian and

hold the first world's fair ever in the two cities.

span two countries of opposing the blocs together. ideological systems.

THE TENEDS sovereignty, after having been an-prepare a feasibility study. nexed by Germany in 1938 and occupied by Western and Soviet weapons," said Ernst Stock, secrearmies after World War II, is reso-

Communist nations, is a faithful member of the Warsaw Pact and kilometers) apart by road, officials

dapest, joined until 70 years ago in visas for people of both countries with nostalgia.

Gerhard Feltl, an executive in Vienna of the International Busi-Hungarian ambassadors to France ness Machines Corp., who is depuasked the International Bureau of ty secretary-general of the Austrian Expositions for authorization to preparatory team, views the venture as an outgrowth of glasnost, the openness that Mikhail S. Gor-If the body approves it, the exhibachev is implanting in the Soviet bition would also be the first to Union, and an opportunity to draw

The Vienna organizers have Austria, although neutral under asked a unit of the Bechtel Corp., the 1955 treaty that restored its the U.S. engineering concern, to

"It's not enough to destroy tary-general in Vienna and head of the Vienna Congress Center. "We

"Austria and Hungary represent one of the best examples of Eastwest cooperation," said Peter Ba-West cooperation," said Peter Ba-West cooperation, a senior Hungarian trade office.

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sized." In both cities, officials deny any dream of a rebirth of the empire, which throughout Central Europe is known by the German initials "K und K." They stand for "kaiserlich und königlich," meaning "imperial

Austria and king of Hungary. "For me, 'K und K' means 'Kalman and Lehar," said Mr. Stock, ed that if the exhibition is apreferring to the two composers proved, both countries would give whose operettas delighted the people of Vienna and Budapest in the

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with nostaigna.

"We don't reject everything of the past," said Mr. Balazs. "Our cultural links should be emphasized by present in much more majestically present in Budapest than in Vienna.

As a symbol, it is also thought to suggest the idea that the two cities could serve as link between the two major political systems. And, finally, the Hungarian and Austrian organizers like the notion of a symand royal," because the head of the bolic bridge between the present, House of Habsburg was emperor of rapidly changing industrial world and the future of high technology. The organizers take it for grant-

priority to linking Vienna and Bu-dapest by superhighway. At prelast period of union and consoled sent, divided highways end a few them in the early stages of divorce. miles outside each capital. For the reform-conscious eco-

"Our services should be on the

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French Design in Miniature

By Jean Rafferty
PARIS — Ever-changing styles
in food and fashion are a prime requisite of French cultural life. But design - whether of industrial objects, furniture, graphics or inte-rior architecture — has never found its niche in the consciousness of a country obsessed with the gilt and

splendor of its golden age.
As recently as 1982, the government tried to ban the very word, intending to replace it with "stylique" and designer by "stylicien." Design, both as a word and as a profession, has survived and French designers have recently racked up a number of international successes. Acclaim has been more pronounced abroad --- especially in Italy, Japan and increas-

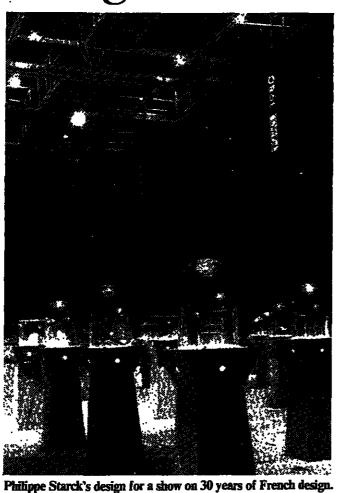
ingly in the United States.

France has neglected the decorative arts and design," says Dominique Bozo, president of the National Center of the Plastic Arts at the Pompidou Center. So in a move to right that wrong, design is being celebrated in an ambitious retrospective, "Three Decades of French Design, 1960-1990," until Sept. 26 at the Pompidou Center.

One purpose of the show will be to help the French themselves "discover that there is a French design," as François Burkhardt, the director of the CCI (Centre de Création Industrielle), puts it. The show has been staged by the man some call the messiah of new wave French design, Philippe Starck. The French must learn that presentation is an important part of design," says Starck, a master of that particular art. He has come up with a solution stamped with the same stagecraft that has lured reallife café society from their Left Bank haunts to the popular Starckdesigned Café Costes in Les Halles.

The so-called forum, on the Pompidou's lower level, has been transformed into a tented temple filled with the symbols of the best in French design rather than the actual manifestations. Golden arches introduce each decade lection of products that were imwhere these icons of invention are displayed identically —a Renault 5 dramatically scaled down, a perfume bottle scaled up - as models on wooden plinths under Plexiglas domes, the latter inspired, according to Starck, by glass-domed Louis XIV clocks. The rows of plinths stretch hypnotically into the distance, producing what Starck terms "a relatively exaggerated sense of ritualization; it makes

it exciting, and I love excitement." Starck maintains that "the change of scale helps to rediscover the object," but the decision was controversial. Scale is considered integral to a design and some designers refused to participate be- a mini-TV. cause they felt models betrayed the



Bic cigarette lighter, and the realities of space and visibility," it is hard to imagine another solution that would permit the global view

portant at a certain time and founded on certain events, trends, DOONESBURY changes in mentality or lifestyle, and economic realities," explains Jollant, formerly of the Pompidou and now a design director of Louis Vuitton, sponsor of the show.

Some designs translate more successfully into models than others. Graphic design, on the whole, suffers the most. The clever Ticket Chic Ticket Choc campaign of the Paris Metro, for instance, simply loses its impact as fabric stuffed into a plexiglobe. Jean-Michel Folon's memorable credit title designs for the Antenne 2 television network benefit from being shown on

For other designs, the uneven

intention of their designs. Present-ed with what Starck calls "an Indi-an bazaar of objects from a TGV Pierre Paulin's Chair 577 for Artihigh-speed train and Concorde to a fort comes over as a black blob (his other chairs fare better) and Jean-Louis Barrault's mini-oven for Moulinex is an indecipherable black block in contrast to the elethat the curators, Françoise Jollant and Margo Rouard, were aiming Djinn chair and Pascal Mourgue's

and Roland Sportes's metal chair "It's not an inventory, but a se-models. Quasar's urban car of the journalist who specializes in design '60s is captivating, although other

models of cars, planes and trains are disappointingly undetailed. The cost of the models was a limiting factor. One designer said the model of his chair cost eight times the price of the original.

Some of the smaller objects are presented along with their models. Other domes conceal a surprise and visitors are advised to peer over the top. William Klein's photographs of Courrèges dresses for Elle, for example, surround a pair of Courrèges sunglasses.

The course of French design did not run smoothly over the three decades. The '60s bubbled with optimism. New materials demanded new techniques and French designers met the challenge with verve. These were the heady days of Quasar's inflatable chairs, Prisunic's designer plastic furniture. In the early 70s President Georges Pompidou updated the Elysée Palace, but the oil crisis and economic slump, along with President Valery Giscard d'Estaing's preference for the 18th century, made it lean days for contemporary design, with exceptions such as the Concorde, the Airbus and the Corail trains. The '80s, nurtured by a series of government promotions ranging from the interior decoration of the private apartments of the Elysée Palace by five contemporary designers to the Culture Ministry's design competitions backed up by substantial government orders, have brought a renaissance, but more in avant-garde limited editions than mass produc-

Despite an '80s predominance of pur et dur graphic furniture — no an irresistible and redeeming sense erybody and be a nice guy."

After Paris, the show will go to London, Barcelona, Hamburg, Frankfurt, Milan and São Paulo.

Jean Rafferty is a Paris-based

Inn Survives in a Chaotic Haiti

New York Times Service
ORT-AU-PRINCE, Haiti — When the L army staged a coup d'etat last month in Haiti, a handful of foreign reporters climbed to a creaky upper veranda of the Grand Hotel Oloffson to peer into the steamy darkness in the direction of all the shooting.

The next evening, the reporters were back on the palm-shaded terrace for food and drinks under the ceiling fans. There was more shooting, but no one stirred. Everyone correctly assumed that the army was merely

Tourists are rare in Haiti these days. But the white clapboard Oloffson hotel, one of the most fabled inns in the Caribbean, manages a somewhat precarious existence. A favorite of the rich and famous, the venerable hotel, which took in its first guests 54 years ago, has also been an eating and drinking club for journalists, diplomats, specialists on underdeveloped countries, university researchers, the occasional missionary doctor

and a few Haitian gadflies. and made it the centerpiece of "The Comedians," his novel about Haiti.

hospital during their 19-year occupation of Haiti. When they left in 1934, the Norwegiannewly created Ministry of Colture. Haitian Oloffson family leased it and turned

it into a hotel. The hotel nearly died in 1986, in the months after the collapse of the Duvalier family dictatorship. Last fall, however, two Princeton University graduates, Richard Morse, 31, and Blair Townsend, 27, went to work reviving the Oloffson. Morse, a tall, gangly anthropology major who writes rock music and paints in the Haitian primitive style, produced some of the best service in the Caribbean. The food is pretty good, 100.

Along with installing wicker chairs and tables that look like the original furnishings, Morse and Townsend fixed up the telephone system and the plumbing and covered the walls with local art.

Morse and Townsend, who have been engaged for seven years, have deep ties to Haiti. Morse is the son of Richard M. Morse, chief of the Latin America Department of the Smithsonian Institution's Woodrow Wilson Center in Washington. Emerante de Pra-Graham Greene dropped in when François dines, a Haitian dancer and singer, is the papa Doc) Duvalier was terrifying the coun-(Papa Doc) Duvalier was terrifying the coun-younger Morse's mother. And Townsend, as try with his Tontons Macoutes in the 1960s an art historian and dealer, has concentrated on primitive Haitian works.

Morse's parents were old friends of Leslie The Oloffson began as an elegant private F. Manigat, the onetime political science pro-residence, built before the turn of the centu-fessor and former president who was overry. The U.S. Marines used the mansion as a thrown last month. Before his ouster, ManiManigat gave a pre-election news conference at the Oloffson rather than at the more

practical Holiday Inn. The Holiday Inn. which is closer to the presidential palace, is the unofficial foreign press center. Manigat also held receptions at the Oloffson and called on the hotel for catering.

Morse prefers not to say what he thinks about the overthrow of Manigat. But the ouster brought a brief boom in business from foreign reporters. Now, the excitement has passed. On a recent night, Morse brought in voodoo dancers and drummers, and the bar and the terraces were packed.

On a more languid evening, Aublein Joli-cur, an elfin figure in a beige linen suit, sat perched on a high stool at the bar. Jolicur, an art dealer, newspaper columnist and palace butterfly during the Duvalier years, still basks in the fame of his portrayal as Petite Pierre in "The Comedians." He was sorry about Manigat, Jolicur was saying, but, demonstrating the sense of balance that has served him well, was also glad for General Namphy, the new leader of Haiti.

Morse has covered his bets, too. "If there's trouble," he said, "we take care of the people attracted to the country by trouble. If there's peace, we're going to have tourists. We're ready either way.

The Delicate Art of Coming and Going

New York Times Service NED SCHNURMAN knows what he should do when he returns to New York after a vacapur et dur graphic furniture — no sofas — that does not augur well home, unpack, go into the office for contemporary comfort, there is the next day with presents for ev-

> He does none of those things. He times his return so that he can go directly to the office. Once there, he finds something to shout about. In the meantime, he is well aware of what the staff is thinking, and the next day he apologizes.

Schnurman, an independent pro-

he's temperamental, but he's willing to admit that a too-rapid transi- partures and returns, there's no tion from play to work may affect his mood.

He admits, too, that his returnfrom-vacation pattern is somewhat odd because it's a direct contrast with the routine he observes before his holiday begins.

At that time, he spends the day getting himself into the right frame of mind

"If I'm going to France, I'll try to have lunch in a neighborhood café with French food," he said. "If I drive myself to the airport, I'll put on a Piaf tape. By the time I take ducer for PBS, doesn't know why off, I'm in a good mood."

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getting into the right mood. He works until the last minute, runs home, packs in 15 minutes and barely makes the plane. "I know I'll unwind where I'm going, so I don't care how I feel

getting there," he said. However, Alexander, an interior designer, comes back a day or two early "to open the mail, get things organized and be by myself before I'm called upon to perform," he

and methodical will pack early,

take off on Saturday, rather than

Friday night, and return a day or

office to airport, return at midnight

Sunday and show up for work early

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Helen Bransford goes along with Alexander's return pattern. "I'm happy to sacrifice what other people may consider the last ful way of operating." sterling moment in order to have

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"I wish I were the other kind because wonderful last-minute op-portunities come up, and I'm floored by them," said Bransford a jewelry designer. "I can't pack-at the last minute and rush off. I have to think about how much shampon and how many skirts I'll need. I put a suitcase on the floor and throw

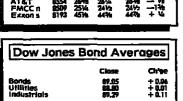
work that way. In the New York things in it for days." Michael Maas, an architect, and his wife, Jane, the president of Muller Jordan & Weiss, an adverdoesn't care a bit about relaxing or tising agency, pack the morning they leave.

They leave the office at nom, have a leisurely lunch and return home to pick up their luggage and a food hamper. When they know that there's no chance of being upgraded to first class, the hamper usually

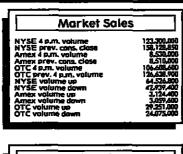
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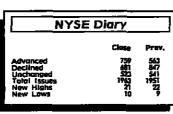
Lorna De Wangen, an art and furniture consultant, tries to avoid rushing. "Sunday is a nightmareat airports," she said. "There's to point hyperventilating and ruining all the good effects of the trip. When you're flying at the back of the bus, my way is the least stress-But, of course, they all say that

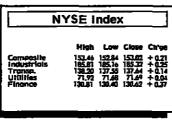
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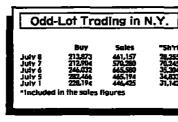


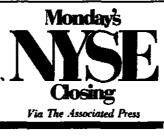
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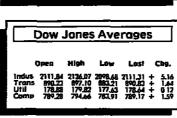


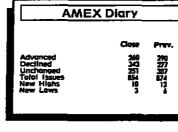


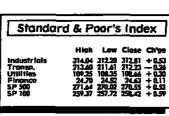


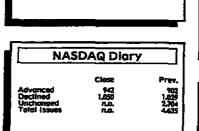




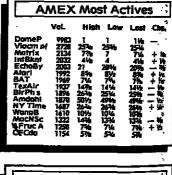








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market worries over the inflation outlook. 25.43 points last week, rose 5.16 to 2,111.31.

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Advances edged declines by a small margin.
Volume amounted to about 123.3 million shares, down from 136.1 million traded Friday.
Prices were lower in slow trading of American Stock Exchange issues. "This was another one of those picket-fence type of days," said Larry Wachtel, a market

analyst with Prudential-Bache Securities Inc. 55%. "Often a quiet Friday leads to a quiet Monday. But it wasn't a bad session. "Most of the gains can be attributed to the drop in commodity prices," Mr. Wachtel said. "Some of the inflation fears were temporarily stifled and, this allowed the market to gain.

However, there is still concern over the future of Fed policy and talk of a boost in the prime Analysts said many investors were reluctant to participate in view of the heavy schedule of economic reports due out this week.

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NEW YORK — Prices on the New York
Stock Exchange posted modest gains Monday
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slow trading, supported by a reduction in oversold condition.

"Most of the concern in the market centers

around inflation," Mr. Pado said, adding that

there is now talk of a possible prime rate in-"The market seems to go through this infla-tion syndrome every six to eight weeks," Mr. Pado said. "But we are not at a point where it is

obvious that the Fed has made a determination U.S. West was the most active issue, up ¼ to

USG Corp. followed, gaining ¼ to 49%.
USG (when issued) was third, up ¼ to 7%.
AT&T slipped ¼ to 26%. IBM was up ¾ to

Among the blue chips, General Electric was up ½ to 43¾, American Express was up ½ to 27¼. Procter & Gamble was up ¼ to 75½ and Merck was up ¼ to 54%.

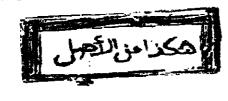
Prices closed lower in slow trading on the American Stock Exchange.

The American Stock Exchange index fell 0.44

to 308.58. The average price of a share lost 2 cents. Declines led advances by about a 3-2 margin. Volume totaled 8.5 million shares. about the same as on Friday.

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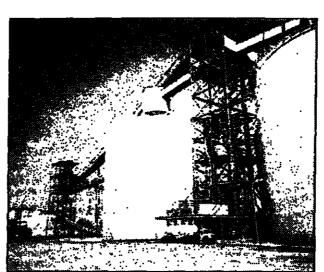
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Jebel Ali's full potential has yet to be realized. Manufacturers and distributors from Europe and the Far East, including internationally known names such as Arco, Black & Decker, British Petroleum, Cleveland Bridge, McDermort, Halliburton, Union Carbide and Shell, are well-established there. Now the Japanese are starting to arrive in force - Mitsubishi, Abe Pumpshaft, Mitsui and Toppan Moore. A Swiss group has recently announced its intention to build a \$15 million auto assembly plant, and a local group, Al Habtoor Motors, has revealed plans for a joint venture to manufacture Romanian-based vehicles. A French company which has moved its whole factory into the Free Zone has just started a tannery operation.

It was an accident of geography that placed Jebel Ali in such a strategic commercial position, with easy access to Africa, the Mediterranean, the Levant, the Indian subcontinent and the entire Middle East. But it was the port - one of the largest man-made harbors in the world, with its 67 deepwater berths and container handling station — that gave Jebel Ali its unique trading status. A further attraction for distribution companies is the proximity of Dubai's international airport, which makes the location ideal for the rapidly expanding sea-air cargo business.



Dubai's alumina terminal at the Jebel Ali port.

further information about the Free Zone, and the Free Zone Authority is issuing about eight new licenses each month.

Mr. Sultan Ahmed Bin Sulayem, chairman of the Jebel Ali Free Zone Authority (JAFZA), comments: "After three years of hard work I believe we are over the hump in getting the message across to companies. That fact is

companies are being more precise about their objectives and requirements. Compared to last year, we have had a 50 percent increase in processing documents."

This year Mr. Sulayern — considered by many to be one of Dubai's ablest young businessmen - and his colleagues from JAFZA have been on promotional tours to Japan, Singapore and Europe. Mr. Sulayem is a firm believer in the one-to-one approach as a way to win international recognition for JAFZA's facilities. This year's flag-waving exercise follows similar, earlier efforts which are already beginning to bear fruit.

Despite this success, Mr. Edward Butler, the marketing director, believes that there is still an educational gap to plug as far as Jebel Ali and Dubai are concerned. "Many people are still not sure where we are; when they do know, they think only of the current Gulf conflict. But we are now very optimistic about the future and the situation here is getting better and better. Although our expectations may sometimes be exaggerated, we always seem to

JAFZA is especially keen to artract more Japanese companies. During his tour of Japan, Mr. Sulayem told businessmen that he wanted Jebel Ali to serve as "Japan's passport to the Middle East." He also reminded them that only five of Japan's 3,000 direct overseas investments have so far been made in the Middle East.

In the past 12 months there has been a visible change in the development of Jebel Ali. Having recovered from the

long been in place. As Mr. James McFadden, of Jebel Ali Consultants, who spent five years working on the development of Jebel Ali, points out: "This place may sometimes look a bit like scrub desert, but this is definitely not the case. Everything is here - all the services - water, power and telephones.

Mr. McFadden, who works in association with Chawla Architects of Dubai, has watched Jebel Ali grow and grow. "I have seen increases of almost 200 percent in the last two years," he commented.

Mr. Edward Butler adds that it is very quick and easy for a company to come into the zone. The administrative work

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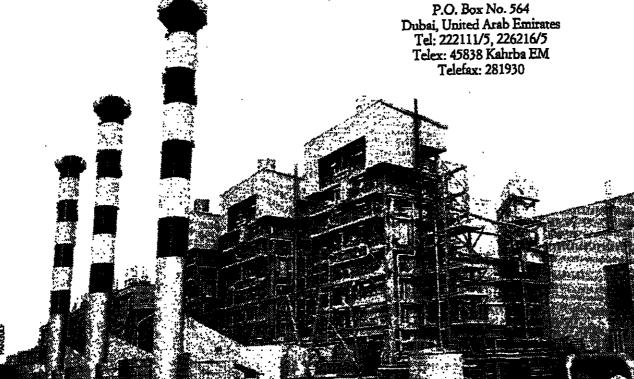
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distribution point at Jebel Ali when it

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Electricity is never a problem if you are at Jebel Ali Free Zone.

DUBAI ELECTRICITY COMPANY



UNION CARBIDE YORK INTERNATIONAL What do these international companies know about Dubai that you don't?

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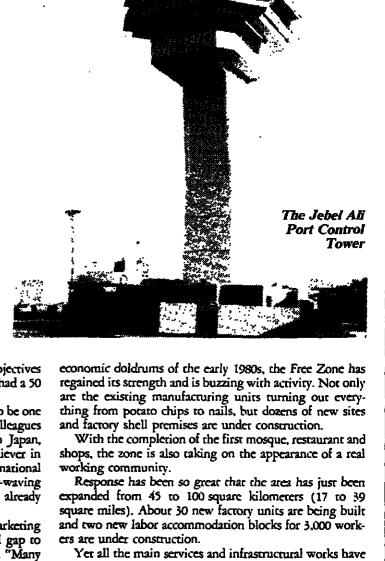
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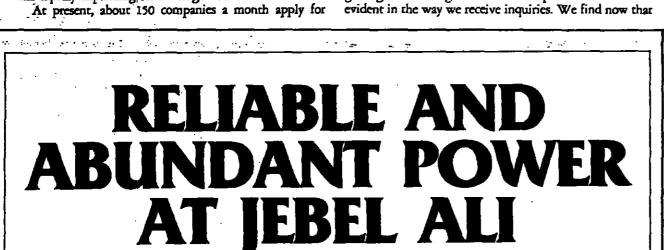
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Potential market focus for Jebel Ali Free Zone.

is kept to a minimum. One of the biggest bogies sponsorship for a foreign company and its workers is removed because JAFZA acts as the overall block sponsor and takes care of work permits and other regulations on the company's behalf.

This absence of red tape, JAFZA's flexibility and a determined willingness to help at all costs, has been the hallmark of Jebel Ali's success to date.

Mr. Rupac Ved, who has a major wire factory in the zone, reinforces the point: "You have easy accessibility to all officials and there is good engineering advice. They are very commercial — and very cooperative."

A similar comment came from MEOS (Middle East Oilfield Supplies), a company which offers a critical service to the oil industry: "The land is cheap here. We get extremely good service - cranes, trucks and anything else we might require from JAFZA." The wide spread of companies operating in the zone is reflected in an analysis of 124 companies there last December. While 50 of these were involved in manufacturing activity, 30 came from the transport, storage and communications sector. Ten were in the wholesale, retail, restau-

The International Bagging Corporation (IBC) operation in Jebel Ali port.

rants or hotel trade; nine in financing, insurance, real estate or business services; and three in construction. The remainder were involved in community, social and personal services.

One of the largest recently completed plants is BP's Dh 37 million (\$10 million) lube plant. The new blending plant has a capacity of 30,000 metric tons and is already supplying aviation lubricants to Emirates airline. Its products comply with strict international controls and standards.

Other new projects include the \$18.5 million storage tanks for Star Energy, which will hold white petroleum products prior to distribution, and a \$4 million plant for coating steel pipes with protective plas-

A huge grain silo with a capacity of 120,000 metric tons — one of the largest in the region — is another major independent construction project that has just been completed.

Apart from the two major established industries — DUBAL, the aluminum smelter, which last year produced its one millionth ton of aluminum, and DU-GAS, the gas processing plant which provides the basic power source for industry — the biggest project about to get underway is the new chemical works.

Cheap energy, Jebel

facility all contributed to the go-ahead decision on a joint venture project for a \$60 million phosphoric acid plant. The companies involved - Gujarat Narmada Valley Fertiliser Company, of India, and Mozak International, of Great Britain - plan to import one million metric tons of phosphate rock a year from Jordan. This will be converted into phosnoric acid which re-exported to India.

Ali's location and the port

JAFZA views the \$60 million project as a classic example of the type of operation best suited to take advantage of the facilities which it can offer investors.

Within the next five years, investment in the Free Zone is expected to double to about \$1 billion and Mr. Sulayem expects the total workforce to reach 12,000.

But already, as the first decade of lebel Ali's existence nears its end, the Free Zone is well on its way to helping Dubai become a major international investment center.

Spreading the Message

R. Sultan Ahmed Bin Sulayem, chairman of the Jebel Ali Free Zone Authority, is one of Dubai's liveliest and most able young technocrats.

During the last twelve months he and his senior colleagues on the authority's board have traveled thousands of miles around the world talking to businessmen and potential investors about the possibilities of the Free Zone.

Here he answers some questions about his hopes and achievements:

Since 1985, following the change in status and the creation of the Jebel Ali Free Zone Authority, you and your colleagues have put a lot of hard work into marketing the Free Zone. Do you think you are over the "hump?"

After three years of hard work I believe we have succeeded in getting the message that we are open for business across to companies. The fact is evident in the way in which we now receive enquiries; the companies are more precise about their objectives. We now process 50 percent more documents than we did this time last year.

How many companies are already situated in the Free Zone, and how many license applications are currently being processed?

There are 180 companies in JAFZA. About eight licenses are being issued every month. We receive about 150 inquiries from all over the world every month.

Do you have figures for the levels of investment by coun-

Yes. The U.S. - \$300 million; Gulf Cooperation



JAFZA Chairman Sultan bin Sulayem.

Countries — \$200 million; Europe — \$100 million; and another \$100 million from elsewhere.

What kind of reactions did you get on your recent tour of Europe and the Far East?

The incentives which we offer are very attractive to businessmen, but many of them are unaware of all the activities which are permitted in JAFZA. Some of them do know about Jebel Ali through our advertising, but I believe we need to do more about our image. People think we are in the middle of a war zone and only realize how safe a place it is in reality when they actually visit Dubai.

You recently had a comparasive survey done of free zones. How was Jebel Ali rated and what are the main types of industry you would e to attract?

Jebel Ali was placed among the three best zones. We would like to see the following categories of projects coming to Jebel Ali:

• Fish canning (tuna) Biscuits, bread and confectionery

 Pharmaceutical plant (pharmaceutical, chemical and veterinary products)

• Office machinery (personal computer assembly) Battery separators

• Electrical assembly (electronic engine controls)

 Medical devices and diagnostic equipment (disposable blood processing equipment)

· Locks (for building industry)

• Tennis and squash rackets, and accessories Distribution center for

sports shoes • Foundry (modular iron castings)

 Metal components (supermarket display shelves)

 Integrated circuits Auto safety belts

 Batteries and accesso-• Alternators, distribu-

tors and starters Distribution center for audio equipment • Fine chemicals plant

(speciality chemicals, aluminium alkyls, ziegler alcohols and defins) Polypropylene film

Can you outline the main attractions and advantages for companies wanting to come

to Jebel Ali? The attractions and advantages are numerous. But in particular:

• 100 percent foreign ownership

 No recruitment problems

• 100 percent repairiation of capitals and profits

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taxes • A market of 1 billion

people Excellent support services

 Efficient, modern communications

· Attractive working environment

 Cheap energy Another good thing about the Free Zone is that we are flexible. If we feel other incentives are necessary, then we are always ready to study them:

Dubai is now regarded as a premier distribution center, specially for sea-air cargo. What are the principal areas which could be served by a company manufacturing or distributing goods from Jebel Ali?

The GCC countries. Iran, India, Pakistan, the Middle East, Africa and Eu.

Would you comment on future plans?

We are very satisfied with our progress so far. We have recently been given an additional area for the Free Zone, which will increase its size from 45 to 100 sq.km. We also have about 30 new factories under construction to lease to investors.

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To keep up with demand we are developing another 70 acres of industrial land and also preparing an expanded industrial park which will have two zones complete with all infrastructure.

In addition we are building two new labor accommodation sites for 3,000 workers and an office block which will accommodate 160 companies.

Banks Begin Moving into Free Zone

are expected following an agreement in principle that will allow some forms of offshore banking and company formation within the Free Zone.

Two banks have already opted to move there and serve the needs of both the local business and resident community.

First off the mark was the Abu Dhabi-based United Arab Bank: its new offices are just inside the main east gate. Earlier this month the British Bank of the Middle East also announced its plans to open a Free Zone branch.

Mr David Livesey, chief executive officer of BBME, commented, "The branch will be set up specifically to bel Ali since its inception meet the financial needs of in the 1970s. With several the fast-expanding commu- major corporate customers nity in Jebel Ali. Our aim is to its credit already, BBME to bring the expertise of the sees the new branch as a bank to the door of the natural extension of its role personal and business community in the area."

BBME is part of the Hongkong Bank Group, which has 1,300 offices in more than 50 countries, and has been associated with Jein the development of ser-

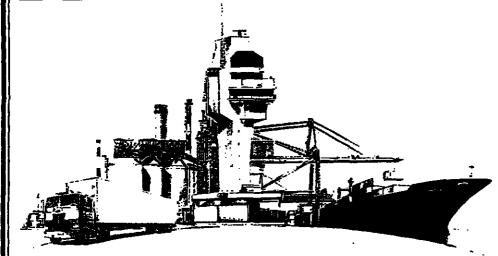
The United Arab Bank which has been operating in the UAE since 1975, was established in cooperation with Société Générale and

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currently has six branches - in Ábu Dhabi, Dubai, Sharjah, Al Ain and Ras Al Khaimah. Originally founded by a group of local businessmen in Sharjah, it moved its head office to Abu Dhabi in 1981. The bank attaches considerable significance to its Jebel Ali branch, which will offer a full range of banking services to the community.

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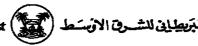
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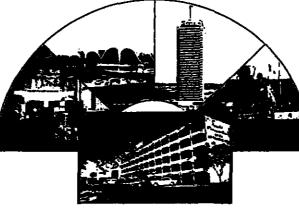
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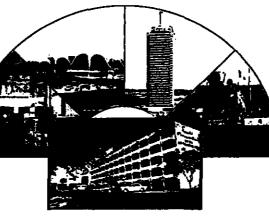


The Dubai Metropolitan Hotel is decidedly Dubai's best situated hotel, close to the centre of commerce and top class sports facilities. The Trade Centre Complex, the Jebel Ali Freezone and the world class Emirates Gelf Course are all just a short drive away. The Met's own unique range of facilities also put it well on a par with the best. 201 luxurously appointed rooms. 8 surtes, a superh Rnyal suite as well as 4 excellent restaurants, the Red Lion Pub. Polo Bar, a 5% imming Pool and Health Centre. And, opening December 781, one of the largest Banqueting and Conference facilities in the Gulf, an investment of \$US 2 million.

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in Port Jebel Ali, the largest man-made harbour in the world. It is a massive cargo and manufacturing distribution centre capable of serving one quarter of the world's population. With a fastdeveloping sea-air-land cargo link, it is well-positioned to tranship goods throughout the Middle East, the southern

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the Free Zone as their manufacturing, storage and distribution base in the Middle GULF EXPRESS FREIGHT: YOUR VITAL CONTACT IN THE FREE ZONE.

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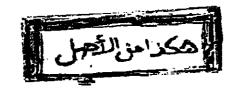
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Leisure Attractions: Par for the Course

drive of the Jebel Ali Free Zone lies one of the Middle East's greatest leisure attractions - an 18-hole championship green golf course. Officially opened last spring by President Mohammed Zia ul-Haq of Pakistan, it is claimed to be

the only one of its kind

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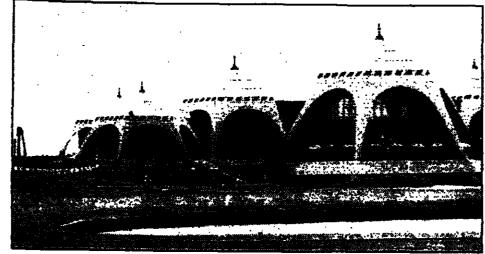
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one of his masterpieces. The 6,618 yard par-72 course is designed around four lakes in a classic style. The lakes, as well as acting as 'natural' hazards, also add variety to the course.

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The construction of the course, which was the brainchild of Sheikh Mo-



The Bedouin styled clubhouse, Emirates Golf Club, Dubai.

hammed bin Rashid al-Makroum, the UAE Minister of Defense, was supervised by a British engineer, Stephen Trutch, and could not have been built without the essential water supply from the desalination plants operated by the Dubai Electric Company in the Free Zone. The clubhouse has a five-star restaurant, squash and ten-

nis courts, saunas, a jacuzzi

and a floodlit driving range.

A crown green bowling green is also being built.

"Nothing has been spared in the design of the course," says Mr. Trutch. The sting in its tail is the 555-vard par-five 18th hole a real desert challenge.

Catering is provided by the Jebel Ali Hotel, on the western side of the Free Zone, which also has its own sports facilities, including a specially built

The hotel is situated on the edge of a small, palmfringed beach. Peacocks adorn the gardens, which offer a shady haven from

the hot sun and the turmoil

of the nearby Free Zone.

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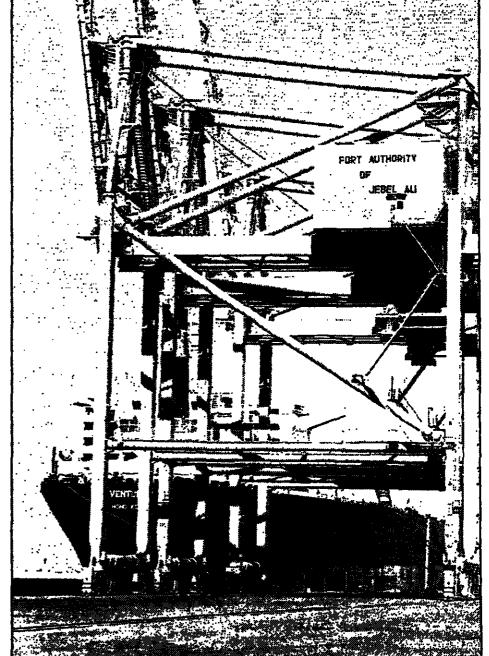
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diving along the coast. The Dubai Metropolitan Hotel is especially convenient for access to the port and to the Free Zone au-

side (the main entry and exit for visitors). Equidistant from the Dubai International Trade Center, Hilton Hotel complex and exhibition halls and Jebel Ali itself, the Metropolitan is strategically located to reduce the hot and sometimes hectic drive between these two points.

As a further incentive, the Metropolitan also offers a "room on wheels" deal. For certain lengths of stay, a rental car is provided free with the room. The hotel is just starting a \$3 million refurbishment scheme which will include a new \$2.5 million conference center and ballroom. Its 200 rooms are also to be upgraded and improved.

The hotel, which is internationally known for staging specialty attractions ranging from auto shows to horse jumping and dressage, also has a new Chinese restaurant which has become one of the most popular venues in Dubai.



A gantry crane at the Jebel Ali Port container depot.

Infrastructure Allows For Swift Starts

ECYCLING scrap iron and steel, making potato chips, processing leather and skins, producing lubricants for the aviation industry and weaving towels and other textiles for North America are just a handful of the 150 industries now at work in the Free Zone.

The huge grain elevator, one of the largest in the Middle East, and the curious domed concrete storage tanks for Star Energy have changed the skyline. On the ground, laborers toll in the early morning sun put-ting in the foundations for new "shell" factories and office blocks. Jebel Ali has become a living site, growing and expanding with every blow of the steam hammer pounding in a new

concrete pile. Mr. James McFadden, of Jebel Ali Consultants, has been in Dubai since 1976 and saw the start of the project. He joined the Jebel Ali Port Authority in 1982 as an engineering supervisor. Toward the end of last year, having watched the Free Zone grow and grow, he decided to strike out on his own and now has an independent consultancy

office in the Free Zone. He sees his role as providing "packaged" deals for incoming industrial and commercial clients. He will design, supervise and generally oversee almost any

kind of new project. Getting proposals ap-proved is considerably less irksome than in most other

> This advertising section was written by Lee Voysey

parts of the region. Nevertheless, supervision for the initial phase is, in Mr. McFadden's eyes, still essential to ensure the smooth inauguration of the

As he points out, one of the main advantages of the Free Zone is that all the basic services - water, power and communication links — have already been put in place.

"They are here, under the ground, ready and waiting," says Mr. McFadden.

The availability of these services, high degree of cooperation from the administration and lack of red tape" are among Jebel Ali's greatest assets.

"Easy accessibility to all the administrative offices. the engineering advice and the cooperation here cannot be matched by any where else that I can think of," agrees one of Dubai's leading entrepreneurs, Mr. Rupak Ved. He has two major manufacturing operarions in the Free Zone — a garment factory and a wire production plant.

"One of the most important things for us is an uninterrupted source of power supply," he adds.

Mr. Ved has been highly impressed by the Free Zone administration and was able to set up both his manufacturing plants in record time - two and a half months from signing the leases to start-up.

"In the case of the garment factory we completed the feasibility study on September 15 — and were in production by December 15," he said.

This kind of swift decision making and complete absence of artificial bureaucratic delays has earned Jebel Ali an enviable reputation in the free zone world. It is really beginning to pay off now, as widely different manufacturing and other industrial processing operations begin to look at the facilities which Jebel Ali has to offer.

This year, the French operation, Tannery and Skins International Ltd., decided to move its whole primary tanning and wool treatment operation from France to be nearer its raw material sources.

In what is perhaps the first major transfer of new technology to Jebel Ali, the company has launched into a full-scale preliminary tanning operation for skins and hides provided from regional abattoirs.

La Mole Industries, of Mazanet, France, used to import skins directly from the Arabian peninsula for processing at its French plant. But because of transportation difficulties and poor curing of the skins, many arrived in a damaged condition. The company decided instead to bring the plant to the Middle East where skins could be trucked to the processing plant at Jebel Ali. It had special technically advanced machinery designed for the plant — the only

The \$3.5 million plant will be producing up to 10,000 skins a day at peak

production. There are now 26 textile and garment operations running within the zone -

all attracted by the availability of cheap power, economical rents and practical accommodations.

Jebel Ali Textile Mill, one of the first to move into the zone (the company is now registered in the Isle of Man), has just undergone a complete modernization of its plant after just two years.

"We wanted to bring in some of the latest machinery in order to improve both quality and the rate of our production," says Imran Ahmed Khan, managing director of the company which employs nearly 300 women workers, mostly from Sri Lanka. "We will soon be manufacturing about 200,000 garments a month," says Mr. Khan.

A typical capital-intensive, low-labor operation in the food processing sector is Hunter Foods, whose potato chips are exported throughout the Middle East and sometimes further afield. It was one of the first food companies to open in the zone in 1986 and is registered in the Channel

What brought them to Jebel Ali?

"One of the principal advantages is that we can have 100 percent foreign ownership. We also had the four M's — materials, money, manpower and markets," explains Mr. Baharat Narayan, another of Dubai's go-ahead Indian businessmen.

Hunter imports the starch and potato flour mainly from Europe and Jordan, processes them at the Jebel Ali plant and exports the finished packaged chips to the GCC states. Mr. Narayan is now looking to export more of his chips to Europe - because it is cheaper to air freight them from Dubai Airport than to send them by sea.

This underlines one of the key advantages of Jebel Ali - its excellent facilities for communications whether by sea, land or air. All three are available right on the doorstep - which means not only a rapid turnaround from factory to distribution, but competirive freight rates as well.

Upward Trend in Sea-Air Cargo Continues HE growing de- year. The trend is encourairport - and Emirates air-

mand for sea-air freight services has played a significant part in Jebel Ali's recent expansion. With many companies using the free zone as a distribution center, increasing quantities of goods are being shipped in from the Indian subcontinent or Far Eastern manufacturers to Jebel Ali port and then forwarded to destinations in Europe, North America and Africa by air.

During the first quarter of this year, sea-air cargo rose 34 percent compared to the same period in 1987. Last year, Dubai's International Airport handled a massive 116,000 metric tons of air cargo — 17 percent more than the previous

aged by the airport's proximity to the port, with its 67 deepwater berths.

Ninety percent of this sea-air cargo is destined for Europe, underlining Dubai's status as a strategic distribution hub. One manufacturer in Jebel Ali is producing over 200,000 items of clothing a month, almost all of which goes by air freight. In addition to highvalue products from the Far East, the textile trade is thriving and currently accounts for 25 percent of the

sea-air cargoes carried. Mr. Mohi-Din A. Binhendi, director general of Dubai's civil aviation department, is confident that the services offered by the line's European links will help attract further business. To cope with the expected demand, a new "cargo village" is to be built at the airport.

One of the most active agents handling air-sea cargo is Gulf Express, which has a staff of around 65. It is the freight-forwarding arm of the long-established Gulf Agency which employs 300 people in Dubai. Gulf Express office is lo-

cated within the Free Zone, where it can handle all documentation for clearance, whether for import, export, or transshipment. In addition it will prepare cargo for air palletization so that it can be hauled to the airport with minimum delay.

Plans to Boost Power Supplies Underway

THE commissioning of Dubai Electric Company's Jebel Ali power station extension will give a much needed one of its kind in the world - which came into producboost to electrically generated power for Dubai and tion just before the sumindustrial users in Jebel Ali.

One quarter of the total installed electricity generating capacity for the UAE (3,845.5 megawatts) is produced by the Dubai Electric Company (DEC). The profurther 250 megawans. Jebel Ali Power Station already provides about 90 percent of DEC's total output of power — and some 40 percent of Dubai's desalinated water.

DEC first started producing electricity from steam driven turbine units at Station D, Jebel Ali, in 1979. Phase one of the station was completed in 1980 and consisted of five steam posed extension will add a turbine units with a total

output of 340 megawatts. The five flash desalination plants working in conjunction with the turbines produced 14 million gallons of

water daily. Two gas turbine generators were added later. In 1981 a contract was awarded to supply station D with three more 75 megawatt steam turbine units and three desalination units. Completed in 1984, this project brought the total

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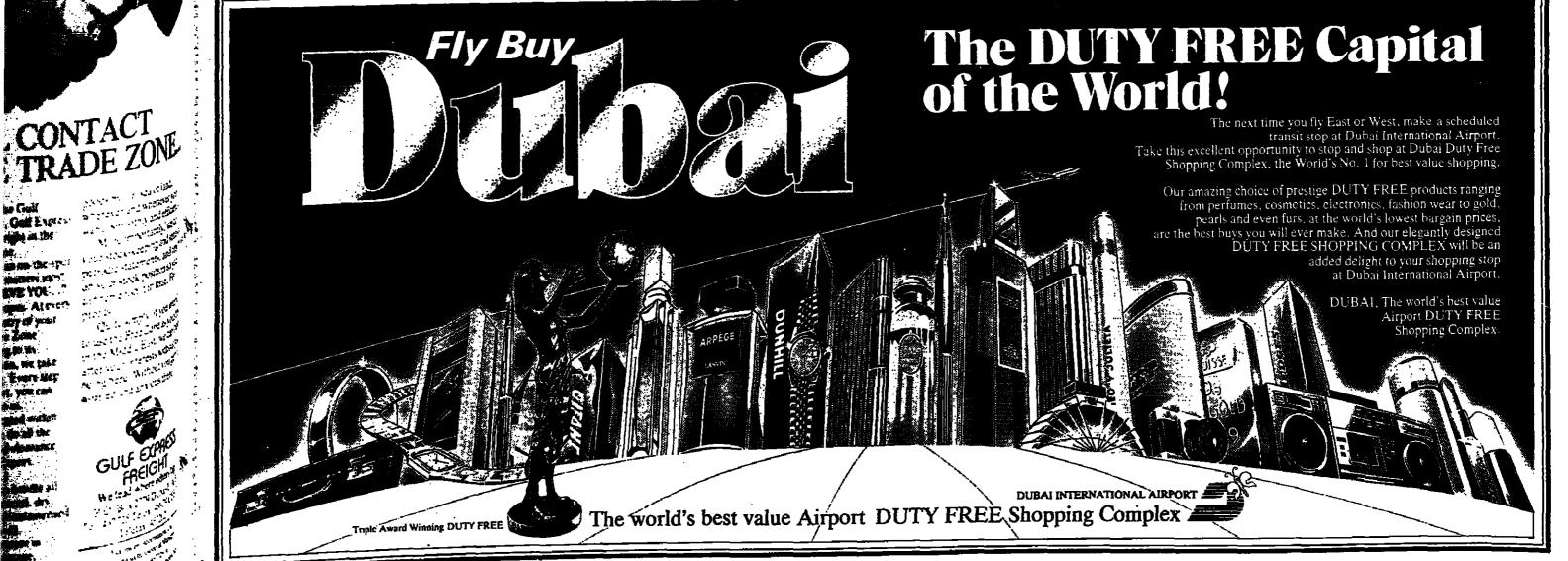
capacity to 650 megawatts.

Two years ago the first

natural gas from Sharjah began to flow by pipeline to Jebel Ali — which requires about 100 million cubic feer of gas daily. Additional facilities at Jebel Ali make it possible for the power station to use both 'dry" and "wer" natural gas, which provide 70 percent of all the station's fuel

Because of increasing demand, DEC ordered a new gas turbine and desalination plant in 1986. This consists of three more gas turbines and four desalination plants, which form the new Station E. When fully operational, power production will be increased by another 227 megawatts, which should be sufficient to meet industrial requirements for the foreseeable

future.



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sociation said prices had been as much as 17 percent lower.

A drop had been expected after news of the stake burst the speculative bubble that had sent shares up 25 percent in the past month.

The scale of the price collapse in the first electronic LVMH trades delayed the opening, when the exchange association announced a temporary suspension of trading. French shares are automatically suspended when they move more than 7 percent from the prior close.

"The major excitement certainty is gone," said one analyst, John Fordyce, at the brokerage Ferri, Ferri, Germe.

But he and other traders said prices may recover after the initial profit taking amid talk that Agache and Guinness may want to push their stake up to 30 percent.

"We don't know quite how they're going to get to that level, through open market purchases or what," said one senior trader.

Agache's chairman, Bernard Arnault, was quoted in news reports as saying that the joint of the price of the prices and the prices are said one senior trader. Agache's chairman, Bernard Arnault, was quoted in news reports as saying that the joint Guinness-Agache stake would grow to about 30 percent and that he and Guinness have agreed not to buy LVMH outside the joint company. "When family members decide they want to sell shares, we will buy," Mr. Arnault was quoted

LVMH Plunges

In Paris Trading

PARIS — Shares of LVMH Moët-Hennessy Louis Vuitton SA, the French luxury goods company, plunged 358 francs to 2,789 francs on Monday, a drop of about 11 percent, Paris dealers said.

The shares had been suspended since Thurs-

day's close at 3,147 francs because of a pending announcement on Friday that Guinness PLC and Financière Agache had jointly acquired a 24 percent stake in LVMH.

Dealers Monday morning quoted LVMH at 2,600 to 2,700 francs a share in pre-Bourse business, while the French Stock Exchange Association said prices had been as much as 17

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NYSE Highs-Lows

U.S. and Businessmen Call for International Service-Industry Rules 🕩

Reuters

GENEVA — The U.S. government and a group of American businessmen called Monday for a set of international rules to govern trade in 150 service industries ranging from banking to Clayton K. Yeutter, the U.S. trade represen-tative and John S. Reed, chief executive officer of Citicorp, called for progress in liberalizing trade in services under 105-nation negotiations.

Service industries are included for the first time in the multilateral talks, known as the Uruguay Round, being held under the auspices of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade.

Mr. Yeutter said: "We'd like to go as far and as fast as we can in this area. Services are an integral part of international commerce in goods, so they should not be viewed in isola-tion."

He said 150 service industries should be part of an accord, including: accounting, banking, construction, information processing, legal ser-

Drought Could Halve Canadian Wheat Crop

Agence France-Presse THUNDER BAY, Ontario — A severe drought in western Canada will cut the country's wheat exports in half this year, driving overseas grain sales to their lowest level in 20 years, an official of Canada's wheat commission has said

Brian Stacy, speaking in the Lake Superior port of Thunder Bay last week, said wheat exports would fall from last year's 30 million metric tons to 14 million tons in 1988.

"When family members decide they want to sell shares, we will buy." Mr. Arnault was quoted saying.

Company sources said Friday that private French family interests still own 37 percent of the company's equity.

The plunge in exports has already crippled activity at Thunder Bay, the main shipping point for Canadian wheat. At least 20 ships were reported backed up waiting for cargo, and the port already has laid off 600 sailors and 450 port workers.

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INTERNATIONAL STOCK MARKETS

Booming Thai Economy Features Bullish Bourse

By VITHOON AMORN

ANGKOK — Thailand's booming economy features a bullish bourse that is widely expected to surpass its all-time high of last October within months if not weeks. The official Securities Exchange of Thailand Index has climbed nearly 90 percent above its post-collapse low in December, rising to 461.86 on June 15, 11 points below its record October high. It closed Monday at 457.04.

The boom continues to draw foreign investors as the stock market continues to surge. "The market has moved up and is looking towards the 500 mark," said Scott Klimo, an analyst with Crosby Research Ltd., a

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Hong Kong-based investment consultant. "I would not be surprised to see the index pass its old high in the medium

The export-led Thai economy is projected to expand a real 8 to 9 percent this year, its highest growth in a decade, after a revised 7.1 percent growth last year.

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Growing offshore interest in the bourse is reflected in the fact that at least four new closed-end mutual funds have been set up so far this year. The initial combined assets of those funds for investing in That stocks are over \$300 million.

term.'

Central bank officials are also expected to allow Japan's Nomura Securities Co. to set up a \$155 million, 25-year fund for the market this year.

Mr. Klimo said the seven foreign funds already investing in Thailand can buy even more securities, since as yet they have invested less than half their combined \$435 million capital in

"Foreign funds are ready to step in to provide strong underpin-ning if the market starts to show any weakness," Mr. Klimo said. Many foreign fund managers viewed Thai stocks as attractive buys because of their fundamental soundness and a relatively low overall market price-to-earnings ratio of 14.8. Most favored construction and export-related industrial issues, which have

posted sharply higher earnings this year.

Siam Cement Co., a huge diversified construction materials and trading group, has paced the growth of the economy. The construction sector rebounded from two years of negative growth to register 7.3 percent expansion last year.

National cement sales rose 25 percent in the first quarter of this year, and construction permits issued by the government rose 76.2 percent.

HE BIGGEST That cement producer, which tops local blue chips, posted net first-quarter earnings of 622 million baht (\$24.4 million), or 51.79 baht a share, on sales of 4.12 billion baht, up from income of 273 million baht, or 22.78 baht a

share, on sales of 3.22 billion baht a year ago.

Siam Cement's share price soared to 3,001 baht last month from a 1,005 baht low in early December. It closed on Monday at 2,921 baht. Despite its recent sharp gains, few brokers said they saw the company as overpriced. Its current P/E of 11 is lower than the overall market, and 1988 earnings per share are projected to rise to about 250 baht from 102.73 last year, analysts said. Most analysts also recommend defensive bank issues, which have underperformed the rest of the market this year despite their

good earnings prospects. "Banks are pretty boring, but at some point people will start to notice that they're running at single-digit P/Es and why don't they buy them," said one foreign stock adviser.

Bangkok Bank Ltd., Thailand's biggest commercial bank, has a P/E of nine. The bank's first-quarter net profit rose to 416.4 million baht from 284.3 million a year ago, and it closed at 339 baht a share on Monday, up from its low of 261 six months ago.

Rate Rise Likely in Germany

Bundesbank Seen Supporting Mark

By Ferdinand Protzman International Herald Tribune FRANKFURT - The West German Bundesbank, in a bid to

rein in the dollar and ease inflationary pressures brought by a weaker Deutsche mark, is likely to raise West German interest rates this week, according to many analysts.
It would be the second interest-

rate increase by the West German central bank in two weeks. Financial market sources in Frankfurt said the Bundesbank is expected to steer money market interest rates higher Tuesday by calling for tenders on securities-repurchase agreements at a fixed 4 percent rate, up from 3,75 percent

Then on Thursday, the Bundesbank's central bank council, which sets the nation's monetary policy, is expected to lift its Lombard interest rate to 5 percent from 4.5 percent at its regularly scheduled meeting. The Lombard rate is the fee charged on banks' very shortterm borrowings from the central bank with securities as collateral.

The moves would come against a backdrop of growing bullishness on the dollar that has countered repeated and occasionally concerted open-market dollar sales recentby the Bundesbank and central banks of other leading industrial nations, intended to slow the rise of the U.S. currency.
On Monday, the dollar rose to

1.8465 DM at the close in London, from Friday's 1.8387. It eased to 133.05 yen from 133.15. Higher interest rates in West

Germany would act to weaken the dollar by making dollar-denominated assets relatively less attractive to international investors than those denominated in marks. Contrary to its standard proce-

dure, the Bundesbank confirmed that it led concerted intervention by European central banks Monday. The U.S. Federal Reserve System also sold dollars for marks in U.S. dealings Monday, foreign exchange dealers in New York said.
"With money market interest rates rising and the dollar continu-

ing to strengthen," said the chief dealer of a U.S. bank in Frankfurt, will raise the repurchase and Lom-

London's merchant banks. He added: "The market is not See RATE, Page 17

U.S. Firms Drop in Rank Among Eurobond Underwriters

American investment banks no longer make up a majority of the top 10 underwriters of Eurobonds. American firms had dominated the London-based Eurobond market, the hub of the international capital market, for most of the 1980's. Companies in bold are

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Nontura Securities	\$8.0	Bankers Trust International	\$2.5
Credit Suisse First Boston	7.2	Banque Paribas	2.5
Deutsche Benk	6.8	Goldman, Sachs International	2.1
Daiwa Securities	4.8	Commerzbank	20
Nitko Securities	3.7	Swiss Bank Corp, investment Banking	1.9
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U.S. Banks Pulling Back in London Eschewing Securities, They Focus on Fee-Paying Areas

By Steve Lohr
New York Times Service
LONDON — A year ago, the big
London offices of Wall Street's leading investment banks seemed dedicated to slugging it out in the hotly competitive markets for international stocks and bonds.

Today, the picture is very different. Major American investment banks are scaling back their international ambitions and rethinking their globalization plans.

They are doing so because trading volumes have plummeted since the October stock market collapse and because foreign investors are skittish about holding large chunks of dollar-denominated securities. even though the American currency has recently rebounded.

Fighting single-mindedly for market share in the crowded international capital markets, especially against the aggressive Japanese firms, no longer seems a profitable formula for most American securi-

Many American firms had ag-gressively expanded in London, as Morgan Stanley in the shift well as in Tokyo, because of the generally accepted notion that the emerging world of international securities trading would touch three bases — Tokyo, London and New York — on a 24-hour odyssey.

Now, the American firms are drifting toward fee-carning corporate finance activities, especially advising clients on takeovers. Two market developments re-

flect the strategic adjustment now under way:
So far this year, an American investment bank, Goldman, Sachs

The burgeoning London units were obvious candidates. Staffing at the London offices of major & Co., is the leading financial ad- Wall Street investment banks had viser on British takeovers, a field

once thought to be the bailiwick of

ranking executives have resigned or Salomon Brothers Inc. are no longer among the top 10 underwriters have been replaced at the London units of many big investment banks, including Salomon Broth-ers, Morgan Stanley, Merrill Lynch of Furnbonds American firms had dominated

the London-based Eurobond market, the hub of the international & Co. and Shearson Lehman Hutcapital markets, for most of the 1980s. Most Eurobonds are issued But the staff departures also reflect the shift of emphasis away

> year have been bankers who were pioneers of the \$650 billion Eurobond market, like Archibald Cox Jr., the former head of Morgan Stanley's London office, and Ste-ven Licht and Caleb Watts, the two top capital-markets executives for Merrill Lynch in London. Typically, the Eurobond stars were succeeded by people known

from the Euromarkets.

as administrators or more familiar Still, investment bankers said

concept of retaining an integrated operation in all the major capital markets in London. The teams may be smaller, but

they insisted they would continue to sell, trade and conduct research by American corporations and forbonds and Eurobonds. eign companies and governments as a way to attract dollars held "We have not dropped any of

American investment firms have markets," said Stanislas Yassukovich, chairman of Merrill Lynch Europe Ltd., whose London staff has been reduced by more than 10 percent, to 1,400 people, since early been looking for places to cut costs because of the sharp slowdown in business in the months after the

> "What we have done is make warrant."

See PULLBACK, Page 15 Some of the most visible changes

Intervention but Closes off Highs

mostly higher on Monday, shrugging off coordinated selling by the U.S. and European central banks, but it closed below levels set earlier

They said the intervention, by the U.S. Federal Reserve System, the Bundesbank and other Europetemporary downturn in the curren-

The dollar took a dip at midday but it was a shortlived move. I don't think it had a major impact," said Kathy Jones, a currency ana-

Inc. in Chicago. However, liquidation of long dollar positions in slow trading

wards the close, dealers said. The dollar rose to 1.8420 Deut-

from Friday's 133.25. The dollar gained against the pound, which fell to \$1.6915 from \$1.6995, and the U.S. unit rose to

Traders said much of the market activity, described as choppy, was with the deal-making side of the mark and yea, a move made typidominated by cross-buying of the cally before the release of impor-tant economic indicators such as they remained committed to the Friday's release of U.S. trade fig-

"People are buying dollars against the mark and selling dollars against the yen," said a trader at Harris Trust & Savings Bank. "When people are confused and on equities. British government don't know what to do, they always

play the crosses."

In London earlier, the dollar our businesses or pulled out of any surged. "The intervention didn't mean anything," said Bob Bauer, senior dealer at Commerzbank AG. The dollar is still basically on

The dollar jumped to 1.8465 Deutsche marks at the close in London, from Friday's 1.8387 DM. adjustments as changes in activity It barely reacted to intervention at two stages by the U.S. Federal Re-

Dollar Ignores

NEW YORK - The dollar was Friday and closed at 6.2115 French

The buoyant U.S. economy and the prospect of higher U.S. interest rates to cool any risk of inflation sent money pouring into dollar as-

an central banks, caused only a

lyst at Prudential-Bache Securities

pulled the U.S. currency down to-

sche marks at the close in New York, from Friday's 1.8415, But it The most notable casualties this was unchanged against the Swiss franc at 1.5310 after trading as high as 1.5370, and fell to 133.08 yen

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nce thought to be the bailiwick of the past four years. So the staff cuts ondon's merchant banks.

Yet Goldman, Sachs and other percent of the total payruoll.

Leven unough investment banks serve System, even though those are emphasizing cost controls, there is a discernible reluctance on shares European concerns about a

francs against 6.1835. The pound fell to \$1.6890 from \$1.7010, but it firmed to 3.128 DM from Friday's 3.118. However, the dollar eased to 133.05 yen from Friday's 133.15. In spite of the central bank inter-

vention, said a London trader with a major U.S. bank, "I wouldn't be at all surprised to see 1.85 when we

Dealers said the Fed was selling \$10 million lots for Deutsche marks and, as was the case Friday. used a combination of European and U.S. banks. They described its action as highly visible but not aggressive, which also was the bal-ance of opinion Friday.

The central banks want to slow See DOLLAR, Page 17

OPEC Panel On Pricing to Meet Shortly United Press Internation

NEW YORK - The fivemember pricing committee of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries is to meet after the group's secretary-general visits the United Arab Emirates, the OPEC new agency said Monday. In a dispatch from Vienna.

the agency said Secretary-General Subroto of Indonesia will soon fly to the United Arab Emirates to deliver a message" to President Sheikh Zayed ben Sultan al-Nahyan concerning the oil market. Under an accord adopted

last December 12 of the car-tel's 13 members agreed to limit their total output to 15.06 million barrels a day. The emirates said last month they would raise output

to 1.5 million barrels a day. far exceeding its allotment of 948,000 barrels a day. In New York, crude oil prices tumbled 68 cents a bar-

rel Monday to \$14.78 for West Texas Intermediate, the lowest close since late 1986, hurt by selling that traders blamed on too much supply and renewed skepticism about OPEC's ability to restrain production. The Associated Press reported.

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Living quarters and processing units are packed closely together,

using every inch of available space, on North Sea oil platforms.

Rig Disaster Forces Studies of Platform Design

By Steven Greenhouse

outside the United States.

October market collapse.

New York Times Service ABERDEEN, Scotland - Government and industry officials say a likely result of last week's disaster on the Piper Alpha oil platform in the North Sea, in which 166 workers are presumed dead, is that there will be major

changes in safety features in future oil rigs. The most likely change stemming from Wednesday night's explosion is that workers' living quarters will be moved as far as possible from a platform's oil and gas processing units to protect them from leaks or explo-

Many industry experts have proposed placing the living quarters at the opposite end of the platform from the processing units. and, perhaps, even placing the quarters on a "hotel platform" about 100 yards (90 meters) from the rig. Automated, unmanned plat-forms also have been proposed.

Setting up such floating hotels or unmanned rigs would be costly and would be a major change in the way such leading compa-nies as Occidental Petroleum Corp., Texaco Inc., Shell Oil Co. and British Petroleum Co.

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do business not only in the North Sea but at all offshore operations.

But Armand Hammer, the chairman of

Occidental, the operator and principal owner of the \$900 million Piper Alpha, said last week it appeared that major changes in plat-form design were needed. The other owners are Texaco, Union Texas Petroleum Holdings Inc. and International Thomson PLC. Mr. Hammer said the explosion apparently

resulted from a natural gas leak in a compression chamber that was directly below the workers' quarters. The rig, which rose 150 feet (45 meters) above the sea, erupted into an

inferno and tore in two. Mr. Hammer said his company, as well as the British government, was investigating the explosion and what could be done to prevent

The industry has always feared catastrophic explosions on oil rigs, but until this disas-ter, the industry was confident that its safety measures were sufficient to prevent such a catastrophe. As a result, safety experts said, the industry did not treat the location of the

living quarters as a pressing issue. But the

bill of nearly \$1 billion are expected to force the companies, unions and insurers to take a closer look at this issue. The five oil fields shut down along with the

remain closed for many weeks, a spokesman for Occidental said Monday. The company has said Piper could be down for a year. Industry officials said one reason the death

Piper field after the explosion are likely to

toll was so great was that the fire after the explosions quickly engulfed the workers' quarters, making it hard for them to escape. "When the first explosion occurred, there

was complete darkness, and men were groping, trying to find exits as everything failed. Everything failed," Mr. Hammer said. "We had backups for the pumps. We had backups for the generators. There was such a tremendous explosion that everything was wiped

The rig's control room had dozens of sensors to detect gas leaks, but they apparently did not give enough warning during a series of massive explosions

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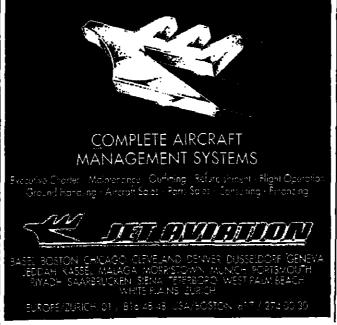
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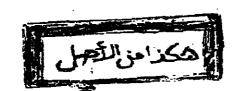
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MGM and United Artists to Be Split toward retiring debt of roughly \$400 million in long-term subordi-BEVERLY HILLS, California ...

MGM/UA Communications Inc. nated debentures. Millian on communications and After gaining control of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer nearly two de-cades ago, Mr. Kerkorian split its minimize to divide the company into separate entities, MGM and United Artists, and sell 25 percent movie division and casino business of MGM to Barris Industries Inc. into two separate companies. The film operation had distributed its The rest of MGM would be ofpictures through United Artists Co.

send to MGM/UA shareholders. in 1981, after the debacle at Tracinda Corp., owned by Kirk United Artists with a costly flop, "Heaven's Gate," Mr. Kerkonan Kerkorian, has about 82 percent of MGM/UA. Mr. Kerkorian will also acquired that company from

carrent shareholders the right to with the \$1.5 billion sale in 1985 of acquire MGM shares for \$8 each. It MGM to Ted Turner, the television said \$2 per share, or about \$100 entrepreneur. But Mr. Kerkorian million of new capital, would be retained control of United Artists contributed to MGM and the rest and offered the public an interest in

Beecham Group Is Selling U.S. Cosmetics Subsidiary

LONDON - Beecham Group PLC, the British pharmaceuticals group, said it has agreed to the sale of Beecham Cosmetics Inc., its last remaining cosmetic business in the United States for £53.8 million

for an estimated \$100 million.

retain control of United Artists.

The purchaser is a corporation organized by the management of Beecham Cosmetics Inc., Beecham

Beecham Cosmetics Inc., whose products include the Jovan and Vi-bath brands, is to be sold for

Cerus Plans Rights Issue Remers

detti, said Monday that it would make an eight-for-five rights issue to raise 3.95 billion francs (\$644 stenberg Cosmetics. million) in new cash. The 10.4 mil-380 francs per share to shareholders of record between July 18 and Aug. 6. Cerus stock fell 10 francs to 440 francs a share on the Paris Bourse on Monday.

Transamerica Corp. MGM/UA said it would offer He then stunned the industry carrent shareholders the right to with the \$1.5 billion sale in 1985 of

would be used by United Artists the company.

within the next 30 days. The balance will be paid with an interestbearing note, due 1998. Under the agreement, Beecham will continue to market Jovan products in Britain, West Germany and the Middle East as well as some other areas. Beecham Cosmetics Inc., which last year had sales of about \$115 million, will

Beecham shares rose 4 pence on Monday to 476 pence each. Beecham Group said the planned disposal of its last U.S. PARIS - Cerus SA, the French cosmetics business followed the holding company of Carlo de Bene- sale in March 1987 of the group's two former U.S. subsidiaries, Germaine Monteil and Diane von Fur-

cham units in the United States.

Beecham said it would concenlion new shares will be offered at trate its U.S. activities in the pharmaceuticals, over-the-counter medicines and toiletry businesses. Its other countries would be unaffect- formance and heavy debt load. ed by the U.S. sale, it added.

United Artists subsequently re-acquired a variety of MGM assets, including rights to the MGM lion trademark and the film and television production operations.

> Barris Industries is held by Burt Sugarman, an entrepreneur, and two movie producers, Peter Guber

Under the terms of the agreemeat, MGM, whose trademark is still seen on 3,600 films, including "Gone With the Wind," and "The Wizard of Oz," is to remain in the film and television production business and retain a stake in the distribution operation.

United Artists would remain in the film production business and retain its library of about 1,000 films, which includes the James Bond and "Pink Panther" series.

Mr. Sugarman. a film producer, has become involved in recent years in a number of diverse investments starting with control of Gi-ant Portland Masonry Cement Co. of Columbia, South Carolina. He has acquired controlling interest in Barris, a television production £37.8 million in cash on completion company.

of the agreement, which is expected Giant recently made a bid for Media General Inc., a newspaper and television company, but was

The film credits of Mr. Guber and Mr. Peters include "The Color Purple" and "The Witches of Eastwick." They recently merged their production company with Barris.

By separating the two compa-nies, Mr. Kerkorian appears to be also continue to make some skincare products sold by other Beediminishing the studio's chances of becoming a major factor in Hollywood. It no longer owns the valu-able MGM library, which Mr. Ker-korian sold to Mr. Turner. Under the new agreement, MGM also will lose the United Artists library.

Mr. Kerkorian had indicated that a number of buyers were looking at MGM/UA. But few Hollywood executives expected that Mr. Kerkorian, who was asking about \$1.2 billion, or \$24 a share, for MGM/UA's 50 million shares outstanding, would find a buyer, becosmetics interests in Britain and in cause of the company's spotty per-



Daiwa Securities workers use a game computer to demonstrate their firm's home trading service.

Japanese Brokers Lure Investors On-Line

TOKYO — Japanese securities houses are hop-ing that computers used by children for video games will entice adults to play at stock trading and thus help the firms maintain their income if fixed commissions are scrapped.

Many Japanese brokerage houses already provide home trading services through personal computers, but these are aimed mainly at institutional investors and large clients because of the high cost and complexity of such machines, analysts said.

The four leading firms, however, now plan to offer these services to the 12 million or 13 million households that own game computers.

Daiwa Securities Co. is set to offer trading

through family computers beginning this week, and Nomura Securities Co. plans for its service to begin later in the month. The two companies would follow Yamaichi Securities Co., which introduced such a service last year.

Nikko Securities Co. also plans a service but has not decided on details yet, a spokesman said. Japanese securities houses have enjoyed boom-

ing profits because of active portfolio management by companies, but they are now paying more attention to individuals, partly to prepare for the possibility of market reform. The liberalization of commissions in Japan is

inevitable, and one key to survival is acquiring as

house executive said.

Yamaichi introduced Sun-Line F its home service, in July 1987. In March of this year, it offered Sun-Line F-II, an upgraded version. The system lets clients place buy and sell orders and provides data such as current stock prices, market news and

analyses, by using a 10-key keyboard. There was a need for a cheap and easy-tounderstand computer trading system. Computer experts aren't necessarily stock investors, and investors aren't necessarily computer experts," said Mitsuharu Suzuki, deputy general manager of Yamaichi's securities information section.

To use the service, an investor needs a game computer, which sells for less than 10,000 year (\$75), an adaptor to connect the computer to a telephone and an integrated circuit card at a combined cost of around 20,000 yen. Information is displayed on a television.

Daiwa had initially hoped to get 100,000 customers for its home trading service within two years, but had this many orders just two weeks after it began demonstrations on June 9, said Takayuki Nakajima, general manager of the firm's

investment information services department.

Daiwa Securities will charge 12,000 yen a year for the service, and Nomura plans a similar charge, compared with Yamaichi's 30,000 yen.

Reed Seeks £620 Million For a Management Buyout

ing units to management will be for in publishing."

said in a statement.

and IPC groups of business maga- States," she added. zines, said in May that it would get out of the paper-making business. selling the manufacturing subsidiaries along with a 400,000 metric ton-a-year newsprint plant in the that date of £194 million.

Canadian province of Quebec.

As part of the deal of

The sale of the Quebec plant, to Daishowa Paper Manufacturing Co. of Japan, was announced in June, for 631 million Canadian dollars (\$52) million at the current exchange rate).

Of the purchase price for the British and European manufactur-ing businesses, £610 million will be paid in cash by Reedpack Ltd., a company formed by the senior managers of the units, on completion. About £8 million has already been realized from associated transactions. Reed said.

The businesses being sold comprise the Reed Manufacturing Group, which is involved mainly in paper, packaging and wholesaling office supplies. The £610 million price includes the settlement of inier-group loans, Reed said.

Angela Bawtree, publishing ana-lyst with S.G. Warburg & Co., a woman said.

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches London brokerage, said that as a LONDON — Reed International PLC, the British paper, packaging and publishing group, said
Monday that its planned sale of it will have a strong net cash posi-British and European manufactur- tion to make a series of acquisitions

nearly £620 million (\$1.06 billion). She said leveraged buyouts, of The plan was first announced in which Reed's is among the biggest May. The sale is the final step in seen in Britain, had been gathering divesting its manufacturing activi- pace before the October stock marties to concentrate on publishing ket slump. "I'm not sure we will see and the information business, Reed many more, but if we do, the number will be far less than what one Reed, which owns the Cahners would expect to see in the United

> Reed Manufacturing had trading profit of £62.3 million on exter-nal sales of £708 million in the year ended March 31, and net assets at

As part of the deal. Reed will hold shares convertible into 10 percent of the capital of Reedpack, should the company be floated or sold. It will subscribe for 60 million Reedpack preference shares on completion.

"In the majority of our product ranges," said Peter Williams of Reed Manufacturing, in a statement, "Reedpack has market leadership in the U.K., particularly in the areas of corrugated packaging carton manufacture, plastic pack-aging and waste-based paper prod-ucts." Mr. Williams is leading the institutionally backed buyout

Reedpack takes in Reed Paper and Board U.K. Ltd., one of Britian's largest producers of paper and board, and the De Hoop paper division, a major paper maker in the Netherlands, a Reed spokes-(Rewers, 1HT)

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PULLBACK: U.S. Banks Changing Focus in London firms internationally," said Samuel Hayes 3d, professor of investment banking at the Harvard Business international finance appears to be

(Continued from first finance page) the part of many senior executives to get carried away with cutbacks because they fear such cuts could permanently damage a firm's competitive position.

"You can't be on the periphery of a business," said Charles McVeigh 3d, managing director of Salomon Brothers International Ltd. in London. "That is a pre-

scription for disaster." This reasoning rests on the crucial assumption that the sharp fall-off in trading and the return of investors to their home markets after the October collarse are tempo-

"I don't see the events of the past

School. "They were enormously over and the United States is likely overextended, having grown in-to remain a debtor nation for years credibly in London. So there was a to come. left to go."

"But," he added, "the forces of technology, deregulation and the internationalization of business big an investor base to tap as the

Still, the big American investment banking houses have unquesbefore the collapse.

year bringing a sea change for these In the future, even if the global- ucts in the capital markets.

lot of fat there - and there's more Both trends have clear implications for the major investment banking houses.

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"But the strength of the Ameritionably entered an era of more can investment banks is the knowhow and financial engineering rary phenomena. Most outside analysts agreed with the bankers' agement skills and charting longerterm strategies will play a far greathave to focus more on value-added er role than was the case in the days areas requiring specialized skills

Goldman, Sachs: Carving a Niche in London

New York Times Service LONDON — Like other big American investment firms, Goldman, Sachs & Co. has found that intense competition has diminished the allure that the London's "Big Bang" of stock and bond deregula-

tion heralded. But Goldman has been quicker than most to recognize this. More than year ago, the firm decided it would not bid so aggressively to win Eurobond underwritings, conceptions more and approximation of the control of the con centrating more on profitability than league-table rankings in the increasingly crowded Euromarkets.

By adjusting its strategy the firm now holds a leading position in such fee-earning businesses as mergers and acquisitions, property finance and underwriting international equity issues.

Goldman did not pull out of the Probond market, but it redirected its efforts somewhat to strengthen its sales and trading in debt securities denominated in nondollar currencies such as French francs and Deutsche marks.

At the time, Goldman, Sachs was roundly criticized by some rivals and within in the trade press for its lack of aggression and a strategy that would make it a second-class citizen among Eurobond under-

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writers. But today, others seem to Goldman, Sachs is involved in

ple four years ago to a peak of 800 people earlier this year, which has since been trimmed to 730.

The mergers and acquisition field is its most clear-cut success in more profitable, fee-earning activities. In the first quarter, Goldman, Sachs was the adviser on British takeovers valued at \$5.85 billion, placing it ahead of Morgan Grenfell Group PLC as the top-ranked takeover adviser.

approved the following:

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be moving in the same direction. the largest takeover battle in the "A lot of our competitors were second quarter, representing putting their chips on the Euro- Rowntree PLC, the British candy bond business," explained Robert
Conway, managing director in
charge of the Goldman Sachs office
in London. "But buying market
share in the Euromarkets is not the
sure to retain the No. 1 ranking way you build relationships. And through the first half. The struggle

In Europe, there are two other \$4 hillion-plus mergers pending in Goldman, Sachs' London unit, which Goldman is an adviser. Both to be sure, did expand too rapidly, are agreed transactions, one be-in retrospect, and it has been forced tween the Spanish banks Ranesto tween the Spanish banks Banesto to cut back. It grew from 140 peo- and Banco Central, the other a merger of the Italian chemical operations of Montedison SpA and Ente Nazionale Idrocarburi.

Goldman jumped into the international merger business early and, by 1983, had decided that defense tactics and corporate valuation techniques developed in the United States would allow it to compete

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At the Extraordinaire General Meeting and at the Annual General Meeting held on June 17, 1988 the shareholders of G.T. INVESTMENT FUND

1. The amendment of the Articles of Incorporation in order to

ment à Capital Variable";
3. The extension of the duration of the Company to an unlimited

satisfy the requirements of the law of March 30, 1988;
The conversion of the Company into a "Société d'Investisse-

The split of each share in the two existing series (with

respectively, coupon numbers 21-27 or no coupon attached) into three shares of equal value; such split to take effect from

the close of husiness in Laxembourg on July 28, 1988;
Shareholders who wish to exchange their old certificates for new certificates are advised that the old certificates must be presented to the hanks listed below before August 30, 1988. After this date, old certificates will no longer be accepted for settlement on the Laxembourg Stock Exchange;
The payment on July 29, 1988 of a dividend of US80.033 per share to registered shareholders at the close of business of July 27, 1988 and to bearer shareholders against presentation of coupon no. 1 of the new share certificates.

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Loans on a trust basis at third-party risk	13,268.7	Nominal capital	950.0
Participations	511.1	Revenue reserves	1,866.0
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Other assets	2,528.6	Other liabilities	4,699.8
Total	131,321.8	Total	131,321.8

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INVITATION TO INTERESTED INVESTORS

Ghana presently has no less than 181 State-owned Enterprises (SOEs) which are either wholly State-owned, or in which Government holds majority shares. In addition, there are 54 enterprises in which government is a minority shareholder.

Almost each one of these enterprises is in need of recapitalisation and rehabilitation in order to achieve improved viability. To undertake the refunding borrowing. This will obviously worsen the national debt situation and introduce additional hardship on the people.

To avert this situation the government has decided to mobilise available non-governmental resources for this purpose by inviting interested legal entities with the means to JOIN it in operating these enterprises. The invitation for EQUITY PARTICIPATION constitutes the government's DIVESTITURE PROGRAMME. of all these enterprises alone, in the face of the many other competing demands, the government will have to resort to additional large scale external

Through the participation scheme, the Government hopes to mobilise resources to strengthen the SOEs selected for the programme while we disburse budgetary resources to support the many strategic State-owned enterprises, which government wishes to continue to own wholly. Adequate safeguards have been designed to maintain the interests of the nation, the enterprises themselves, and their workforces under the

ENTERPRISES FOR DIVESTITURE The under-listed SOEs have been selected for the first phase of the programme:-

NAME OF ENTERPRISE State Fishing Corporation
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BUSINESS Fishing, Cold Storage Sugar, distilled spirit

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Metal Forming Steel structural fabrication 32. State Companies in the Mining sector Mining (gold, diamond, bauxite

Consideration may also be given to applications to participate in other SOEs, which are not in the strategic bracket provided that such applications provided for improved operation and viability of the enterprises concerned. List of SOEs in the strategic Group is kept at the Divestiture Implementation Committee Secretariat.

MANAGEMENT OF THE DIVESTITURE PROGRAMME

The government has appointed a 12 member Divestiture Implementation Committee to manage the programme. In addition to representatives of relevant Ministries and other government organisations, the Divestiture Implementation Committee has representatives from the TUC and the CDR.

The Divestiture Implementation Committee will receive all applications from prospective investors and negotiate terms for the final consideration of the PNDC. The Secretariat of the Divestiture Implementation Committee is located at the offices of the State Enterprises Commission at the North Kaneshie Industrial Area. Applications, enquiries, etc. should be addressed to:-The Chairman Divestiture Implementation Committee (DIC) c/o State Enterprises Commission P.O. Box M.393 Accra.

The Divestiture Implementation Committee has begun preparing detailed dossiers and prospectuses on all SOEs scheduled for divestiture, indicating their assets and liabilities, balance sheets, etc.

Where, because of the extent of work involved, the prospectus of a particular enterprise may not yet be ready, applicants can still indicate their interest pending the availability of full details.

Applicants can also request a letter of authorisation from the Divestiture Implementation Committee to inspect an enterprise in which they are interested

MODE OF APPLICATION Applicants will be required to furnish among others the following information:-

a) Name of particular SOE in which applicant is interested; b) Full details of applicant, including operational, financial and other supportive reference of good standing preferably by a Bank or an Insurance Organisation.

c) Proposed programme of rehabilitation of the enterprise d) Financial proposals for the applicant's contribution towards mobilisation of working capital and resources for rehabilitation. These are to be backed by evidence of ability to perform; e) Exact role the prospective investor intends to play in the enterprise with sufficient evidence of ability to perform this role

NB: Detailed Application Forms are obtainable at the DiC Secretariat.

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a) The Divestiture Implementation Committee will study investment applications with representatives of the appropriate sector Ministry in the first instance.

b) Labour relations negotiations will ensure that the divestiture package incorporates provisions which safeguard the rights of the labour force in the enterprise. c) The Divestiture Implementation Committee will submit its ecommendations for the approval of the PNDC.

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Investment proposals which meet the criteria set out in the Investment Code, PNDC Law 116, will be allowed to benefit from tax and other concessions available in the code.

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Dealers noted that much of the latest phase of demand for the dollar seemed to come from commercial sources rather than from speculative currency trading, as corporate interests started to adjust

long-standing bearish positions. "Flows may be changing direc-tion on a strategic view of the marforeign exchange manager with FBC Amro Bank in London.

The market should have a much clearer idea about the reasons for meeting Thursday. the dollar's recent rise and its futic schedule of events, dealers said, day that U.S. officials are happier named.

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Apart from Friday's U.S. trade data, they will be paying close at-tention to the June Japanese trade ket," said David Deakin, senior testimony by the Federal Reserve is a different perception, not on before Congress on Wednesday; and the Bundesbank's council

ture direction after this week's hec- pean monetary officials said Mon- spoke on condition that they not be

about the dollar's recent rise than are European central bankers. "The U.S. is very happy with

present developments because U.S. inflation is not going up," one official told reporters on emerging from a meeting of Group of 10 central bank governors at the Swiss-based Bank for International

Asked if there was a difference of opinion between European central banks and the United States on the figures to be released Tuesday; the dollar, another official said: "There Board chairman, Alan Greenspan, policy but more on the priority of concerns."

The second official said Japan tended to side with the United Separately, in Basel, senior Euro- States on the matter. Both officials

RATE: Bundesbank Expected to Boost Interest Costs to Counter West German Inflation

Feldstein Sees Dollar Drop

TOKYO - Martin S. Feldstein, chairman of President Ronald Reagan's Council of Economic Advisers from 1982 to 1984, said Monday that the dollar needed to fall at least 25 percent against the yen to restore a balance in inflation rates between the two countries. Mr. Feldstein said at an annual meeting of business leaders from

Japan and the United States that the dollar needed to drop to 100 yen within one to three years, the Jiji press service reported. Wholesale prices in the United States are rising at an annual rate of 6 percent, Mr. Feldstein said, while those in Japan are falling. "The dollar should depreciate at least about 10 percent against the

yen in order to fill the current gap between the inflation rates in the two countries," he said. The dollar, fueled by the release Friday of unexpectedly strong employment figures in the United States, closed at 133.60 in Tokyo on Monday, up from 132.50.

"I think American and Japanese businessmen, as well as our governments, should be basing their plans and policies on the premise that the dollar will continue to decline in the months and

trading near par. while their 4.6 new prime rate, dealers said. Saudi Arabia Makes Third Bond Offering

bility is not likely at all."

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August Rise Seen for Japanese Prime Rate

Reuters

Such a rise would be the first percent debenures issued in July
TOKYO — Japan's three longsince October 1987, when the rate are yielding around 5 percent, for a

term credit banks are likely to raise was raised to 5.5 percent from 5.2 price of around 98.50, bond dealers

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A decision on raising rates could mres issued by the banks from last a more reliable benchmark than 5

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They said it seemed clear that the

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into a pattern of a 1.5 billion riyal

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MANAMA, Bahrain — Saudi Arabia has made its third bond offering in a month onto money markets unsettled by rising dollar interest rates and uncertain oil

their prime rates to 5.7 percent in

August from the current 5.5 per-

cent, officials at the banks said

But they could lift the rate to 5.8

percent, or higher, if the yen bond

market falls enough in the next two

The rise will reflect increases in

domestic long-term interest rates

since late June, which have resulted

from the year's sharp decline

weeks, the officials said.

against the dollar.

yal budget deficit. The Saudi Arabian Monetary Agency, in a telex, offered Saudi banks 1.5 billion riyals (\$400 mil-lion) of government development bonds in one- to five-year maturi-

The offering came amid speculation among bankers that the gov-ernment, hit recently by falling oil revenues and a dollar firming on international exchanges, would

soon devalue the riyal. A devaluation would increase riyal earnings from oil exports, since most government oil revenue is received in dollars.

Saudi devaluations have in the past come on Sundays. But on Sunday of this week. Saudi Arabia dismissed suggestions that it might devalue its currency.

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Ali Abal-Khail said: "This possiup on the first bond offering on June 11. The bond program, the first ma-"Interest in the second was less jor Saudi government borrowing in 25 years, was introduced to help than the first, and I suspect the third will be even less," said one

banker.

"The bonds came in a period of international uncertainty. People Bankers said they expected a weak response to the weekend ofdon't know what will happen to the dollar," he added.

Bankers said that if the dollar continued to rise, the Saudis would be increasingly tempted to devalue. The rival has stood at 3.75 to the

dollar since June 1986.

bond issue every two weeks, with yields closely following those for Similarly, if oil prices continued to slide, the Saudi government would be forced to look for ways to They calculated earnings on Sat-urday's bonds at 0.25 to 0.5 percentage point above those for Trea-

fund the widening budget gap. Although Saudi authorities have shown willingness to allow a sec-ondary market in the bonds to emerge, bankers say it is still not ties to 8.55 percent for two years, clear what shape it will take.

"With the lack of finishing touches and the mystery in international markets, how can you manage your interest rate risk?" asked

Frankfurter Bank AG, said: "Since the Bundesbank said it based its interest rate increases of two weeks ago largely on exchange rate developments, I think the market speculation on a further increase is well

dential election in November."

 He also noted the close depenence between the call money and Lombard rates. The call money rate, the interest rate at which banks borrow funds overnight from one another, was quoted at man central bank's traditional con- that the idea of a secret, bilateral

NASDAQ prices as of 4 p.m. New York time. This list, compiled by the AP, consists of the 1,000 most traded securities in terms of dollar value.
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The dollar has also benefited from rumors of a secret U.S.-Japa- creases in some nations. Those moves signaled the nese accord allowing it to rise ahead of the U.S. presidential elec-

But economists said that after capital out of West Germany to factoring in inflation, real interestrate differentials have narrowed They also showed the West Ger- considerably in recent weeks and

pan governor, is expected to voice trade deficit to widen to \$11.5 bilhis concern about the rising dollar's lion from \$9.89 billion in April. Although capital outflows are effect on the international econompost-war low of 2.5 percent and leveling off, the dollar has re- ic adjustment process at the month-lifted the rate on its securities-re- mained strong, boosted by a string ly meeting of central bank presidents at the Bank for International Settlements in Basel.

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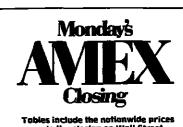
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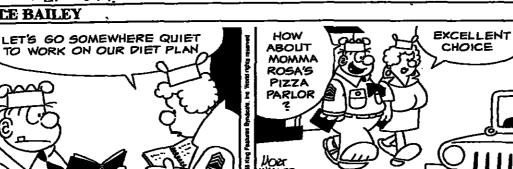
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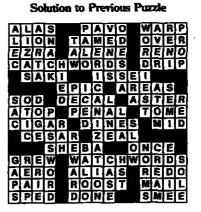
UNSENT LETTERS: Irreverent Notes From a Literary Life

By Malcolm Bradbury. 218 pages, \$16.95. Viking Inc., 40 West 23d Street, New York, N. Y. 10010.

Reviewed by Jonathan Yardley

MALCOLM BRADBURY is a formidably literary fellow: professor of literature at the University of East Anglia, authority on contemporary American fiction, author himself of a number of smart, witty novels, among them "The History Man," "Rates of Exchange" and, most recently, "Cuts." Though these novels roam quite far afield — to the studios of an independent television network and the conference rooms of a fictitious East and the conference rooms of a lictitious East European country, among other places - they are rooted, as is Bradbury himself, in the universities, "communities of largely good, decent, brilliant, enlightened people, committed to the best of ends, such as the survival of humanism and the differentiation between B+

But notwithstanding all this busy literary and scholarly activity, Bradbury is not he tells us, "exactly a good correspondent." He composes letters in his mind, he says, "but the trouble is I never write them down." Now, in "Unsent Letters," he has gotten around to the task. It is a collection of letters, largely literary by nature, "about art and creativity, research and scholarship, publishing and editing, earn-ing a living and making a crust, writing for the market, writing for art, writing for television, writing for posterity"—not to mention "liter-



ary reminiscence and literary advice, some wisdom for literary neophytes and aspirants, who love a bit of wisdom if you call it creative writing some sage academic reflections, a piece of amazing Nabokovian scholarship, and some broader glimpses of the academic world in which I do happen to spend quite a portion of my so-called existence."

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If that sounds quite a tall order, then it may come as no surprise that Bradbury largely fails to fill it. "Unsent Letters" is a curious and unsatisfying piece of work, one in which occasional flashes of brilliance are set among more frequent displays of mere eleverness and selfindulgent display. It seems that Bradbury the novelist is a considerably more congenial connation than Bradbury the correspondent and that for the most part these letters should have remained, as they were, unsent.

Indeed it is somewhat puzzling that Bradbury should represent them as letters at all for in fact they are essays and meditations, and would have been presented more agreeably as such; as it is, following introductory materials they are set in unpleasantly small type, a practice that simply makes them more difficult to read. Whatever the case, they do cover -or at least alight upon — the various subjects men-tioned above, and along the way they serve up-some well-shaped observations.

Thus, for example, in his defense of the "university novel," Bradbury notes that "it is with genres as with sports cars, once inside one, you will never get out of it again - except perhaps by death or the taking of a pseud-onym, whichever is easier." Later he contenplates the dangers of self-regard: "Somehow once the idea of writing an autobiography arises, one grows a little more sententions in all one says and does." Still later: "Little did I know it at the time, but misreading was just becoming the thing in literary studies. Whole departments of it were set up in the United States, and the practice came here, too, as it always does."

That Bradbury is smart and erudite is be youd question, as any admirer of his time novels well knows. But in those "university novels" he actually goes well beyond the grove, of academe, finding universal themes and relections in the lives of quite ordinary academic folk. Here, though, he never gets out of the groves; instead he quite unwittingly reminds us of how narrow and provincial academia can be when it looks not to the real world beyond, but into the mirror at itself.

Jonathan Yardley is on the staff of The Wash ington Post.

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By Robert Byrne

THE Arnold Cup, a 30-L player invitational-open tournament in Gausdal, Norway, April 30 to May 7, was won in fine style by the Czechoslovakian grandmaster Vlastimil Jansa. He scored 9-2 to take the \$968 first prize in the Swisssystem competition.

Second place also went to a Czechoslovakian grandmaster, Karel Mokry, who tallied 61/2-

Third place was shared by the grandmasters Eduard Meduna of Czechoslovakia and Edmar Mednis of Queens.

Each scored 6-3. Jansa gave an excellent exhis game with the British inter-

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The Englishman tried 21...N
K3, but after 22 P-B5!, Jansa's cost him heavy material after 28 BxN!, BxR; 29 BxB, KxB, After 22...NxN; 23 QBxN, 30 R-K8ch! Watson gave up. in the system combining of the sicilian Defense of the does not allow Black the sharp counterattacks he gets when change without putting any White castles queenside, as in real crimp in the white attack. the Yugoslav Attack, and it

usually leads to a quieter game. one move - 26 R-K3 - to pre-The plan of liquidating the vent Black's counterplay. Jansa center with 8...NxP yields was then free to exploit the

QxQ; 12 BxQ, PxN; 13 P-QB3,

N-B3; 14 B-N5. After 10 B-N3, possibly Black's most reliable method of limiting White's attacking pos-sibilities is 10...NxN; 11 BxN, B-B3; 12 Q-Q3, N-Q2; 13 BxB, KxB; 14 Q-Q4ch, K-N1. But both Watson and Jansa, filled with thoughts of attack and counterattack, gave simplification hardly a glance.

Jansa needed no pause after 17...N-B5 but stepped up his attack with 18 P-K5!, aware that on 18...NxQ?, he would deliver 19 BxP mate.

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IN DEFENSE OF THE ENGLISH
LANGUAGE AND ITS PROPER USAGE

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By Samuel Abt

WASQUEHAL, France -

The night before the Tour de

France began in Brittany, Na-than Dahlberg was home in

Ghent, Belgium, 1,000 kilome-

ters away, cooking dinner. Then

"I was just standing around, making my meal," Dahlberg re-

membered. Nothing fancy, just

rice and bean sprouts with a bit

"I had ridden a race that day

of tomato, a bit of cucumber.

and I was hungry as well as tired. It was 9 o'clock at night and I

wondered who was knocking."

As always in fairy tales, it was

opportunity. The Belgian who stood at the door told Dahlberg

that the 7-Eleven bicycle team

had telephoned from France to

say that a rider had just been injured and that Dahlberg was

A 7-Eleven support rider, Bob Roll, had collided with a specia-

tor while warming up for the

unofficial preface to the 3,200-

kilometer (2,000-mile) race. Roll

hurt his head and a knee in the

crash on July 3 and would be

unable to join the nine-man team

when it started riding the next

If Dahlberg could make it to

the line on time, he would ride instead; if not, the team would

Occasionally a bicycling team

will have to call up a Tour de

France replacement for an in-

iured rider, but never before has

a team had to turn at the last

minute to a first-year profession-

al who was not even on its roster

and who had just finished a 185-

kilometer race that day. (He fin-

berg said, was eat his dinner.

The first thing he did, Dahl-

"I had just ridden a race and I

was famished." He left the dishes

in the sink and set off with the

Belgian in an old car to drive to

"We drove all night," Dahlberg continued, "setting out at 9:30 and getting to the 7-Eleven hotel at 5:30 the next morning. I

got about three hours' sleep in

the car and about an hour's sleep

At 9 A.M. he was signing in

for the first stage of the Tour de

France. In hours, the 23-year-old

New Zealander had jumped

from the small-time Belgian cir-

manager, with a laugh. Neel was

Gheat and asked him to alert

Dahlberg, who had no phone in

Talking during the weekend in

Wasquehal before the Tour de

By Gordon S. White Jr.

New York Times Service

AUCHTERADER, Scotland -

in England and Scotland in prepa-

ration for the 1926 British Open,

which he won after hitting a spec-

tacular 175-yard bunker shot to the

17th green in the final round at

Royal Lytham and St. Annes, a

course in Lancashire, on the west

Seve Ballesteros was golfing in

Europe for three weeks in prepara-

tion for the 1979 Open at Lytham,

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tion. A sensitive man with a ting my sleep. growing reputation as a manag-cr, Neel made it plain why he chose the New Zealander. "Nathan rode for 7-Eleven

Cyclist's Opportunity Knocks

last year as an amateur in a race in California and he finished sixth, so we had some awareness of him," Neel said. "We wanted him to ride for us in the Tour of Sicily this year after he turned professional, but it didn't work

But he did ride for us in the Tour of Flanders and a little in Spain and some other races and he did a real good job. I always

T'd just like to survive, do as well as I can, help my team leaders and get a contract with 7-Eleven....The more I do for the team, the better it is for me. The better the team leaders do thanks to me, the better I do.'

wanted Nathan to be able to ride with the team because I believe he has a lot of talent.

Nathan Dahlberg

"Also because he was a little bit of an underprivileged rider, coming from so far away and he has no money, no support." A faraway look filled Neel's eyes as

Now 37, Neel was one of the rare Americans who rode the professional circuit in Europe without much distinction a decade ago, long before Greg Le-Mond won the Tour de France in 1986 and made American riders

"I had the same experiences, yes," Neel acknowledged.

"He lives in a cold-water flat

in Belgium and you should see the one I used to live in. I thought, 'This guy deserves it.' A lot of people out there don't get

ments on our roster and I could have brought in one of them, but the man who called a friend in it was Nathan I wanted." the three-week race continues its

clockwise journey around "I'm riding all right," he said.

cuit to the world's major bicycle "It just must be destiny," said "We had two other replace-Mike Neel, the 7-Eleven team

> And how is Dahlberg doing as pected to win for the team but to

'At Golf's British Open, Preparation Is Everything

New Zealander Gets 'Cinderella' Shot at Tour de France the gaps in Dahlberg's promo- now I'm getting my rhythm, get-"it's another world, this one. In Belgium you come home from a race, rub your legs a bit, wash your gear, spend your time trying to survive. Here it's all done for

He gestured to a team masseur who was rubbing warming ointment into his legs just before the race began a daily stage. Nearby mechanic was checking Dahlberg's freshly washed and polished bicycle.

"I'm really enjoying it. It's almost a bit of a holiday — I'm just riding my bike." he said.

A native of Wanganui, New Zealand, Dahlberg said he "got addicted to cycling" at age 16 when he went out for the sport in high school. Three years later, in 1984, he came to Europe to com-"If you think you're any good, you've got to come to Europe to find out." After spending three

years with amateur clubs in Belgium and France, he turned pro-"I had my ups and downs the first three years," he said, "but I won seven races in Belgium." As a professional, his best finish in a major race was a 40th place in the Grand Prix of Frankfurt,

which he characterized as "not

that good a performance but for

me it was good." He said he looked forward to the daunting mountain stages in the Tour de France.

"Normally I say I can climb better than anything else," he said. "I'm more a strong rider than a quick one and I'm pretty self-motivated, so that should keep me going.

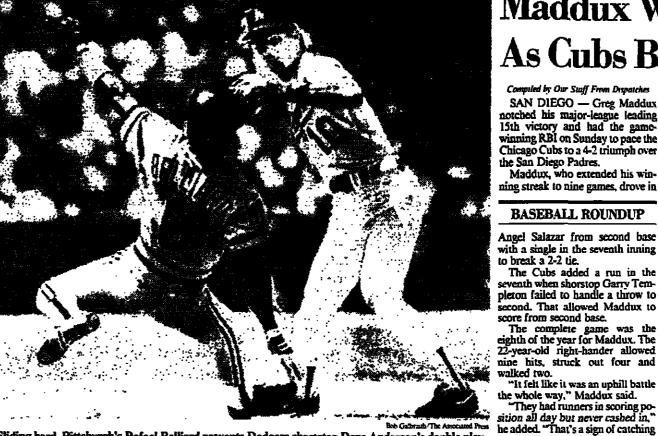
As a support rider, he mainly chases after dangerous enemy breakaways, does such small chores as passing on message from the team car and allows his leaders to draft off his wheel and save their energy. His personal Tour goals are simple: "I'd just like to survive,

do as well as I can, help my team leaders and get a contract with 7-To ride in the Tour de France he signed a team contract for this

year, with an option for the next two years based on his perfor-"The more I do for the team,

the better it is for me," he acknowledged. "The better the team leaders do thanks to me, the better I do." He stood low in the overall time classification this weekend but neither Dahlberg nor Neel cared about that. He is not ex-

work for it. "It's a Cinderella story," Neel said. "Here he's had a chance and here he's one of our best France moved on, Neel filled in "That first day was rough but team workers."



Sliding hard, Pittsburgh's Rafael Belliard prevents Dodgers shortstop Dave Anderson's double play.

those like exhibition games. I

Aaron was a paltry 13-for-66,

Mantle slumped at 10-for-43 and

Campanella went 2-for-20. Rod

Carew, a great contact hitter, strug-

Mattingly knows the frustration.

A four-time all-star and one of the

top batters in the major leagues, he

"I hope I'll do better this time."

said the New York Yankee first

baseman. "I'm representing our

He is not the only all-star who

Lance Parrish of Philadelphia

"It's definitely a challenge," Par-

there. Your adrenaline is flowing reported.

"I remember my first at-bat in an

Other 1988 all-stars are seeking

to improve their statistics Tuesday.

Boggs, the Boston third baseman, is

and Sandberg of the Chicago Cubs

has not given a good representation

is hitless in his six at-bats.

wasn't really bearing down."

gled at 5-for-31.

are each 1-for-10.

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team."

CINCINNATI - From Joe Di-

Maggio to Don Mattingly, base-

ball's biggest hitters usually do lit-

tle to turn the All-Star Game into

There is no reason to believe that

the sluggers in the 59th All-Star

Game, on Tuesday night in Cincin-

Wade Boggs, Cal Ripken, Ryne Sandberg and Andre Dawson are

among the finest hitters in the game

today. But they suddenly turn fee-

Hank Aaron, Mickey Mantle,

Eddie Mathews and Roy Campan-

ella, all Hall of Famers, felt the

same futility. Pete Rose, a likely

Hall of Famer and the all-time hits

leader, hit just .212 in 16 all-star

If good pitching stops good hit-

ting, it has never been more appar-

ent than in recent all-star games.

Particularly last year, when, in the

'year of the home run," the Na-

tional League stumbled to a 2-0

Consider that the American

League has managed a puny five

runs on 23 hits in the last four

games, while the National League

has only 13 runs on 30 hits. Only

once since 1969 has either team

scored more than seven runs in a

game - in 1983, when the Ameri-

"It's always tough to hit against

major-league pitching, especially in

the All-Star Game," said DiMag-

gio, who went 9-for-40 in those

events. "You only see a pitcher

once, and you probably haven't

seen him before. You just try to

swing right and hope to get lucky."

victory in 13 innings.

can League won 13-3.

an offensive showcase.

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ble at all-star time.

Big Hitters: Less-Than-Stellar All-Stars

"I never hit very well in all-star That might be good; he is games," he said. "But I treated for-8 in his all-star games.

rish said. "It's hard to keep the become part of the All-Star Game

same perspective when you get up next year, The New York Times

all-star game," he continued. "I got was expected to announce the

up in the ninth inning against move Monday in Cincinnati, but a

Bruce Sutter. All I had heard about source familiar with the plan dis-

was his split-finger fastball. I had closed the decision Friday and said

never seen one. That's all he threw the designated hitter would be used

me, and I didn't have a chance." when the All-Star Game is played

I-for-6, Ozzie Smith, the St. Louis that the All-Star Game seemed to

shortstop, is only 1-for-12 and Rip- be a logical place to use the desig-

ken, the Baltimore shortstop, is nated hitter, but that the idea was

Tony Gwynn of San Diego, the

That might be good; he is only 1-

ers, sometimes not even on TV," he

looked like jokers in all-star games.

Ted Williams all hit over .300 and

Charlie Gehringer, another Hall of

Famer, batted 500 for the highest

lifetime average in at least five

Among current players, Dave

Winfield of the Yankees is batting

.364, with six doubles, in 11 all-star

■ Designated Hitter on Deck

troversial element the American League adopted in 1973 and the

World Series added in 1976, will

Commissioner Peter Ueberroth

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not acted upon until now.

The designated hitter, the con-

But not all batting aces have

Willie Mays, Stan Musial and

Maddux Wins 15th **As Cubs Beat Padres**

SAN DIEGO — Greg Maddux notched his major-league leading the breaks in the world. 15th victory and had the game-Chicago Cubs to a 4-2 triumph over the San Diego Padres.

Maddux, who extended his win-

BASEBALL ROUNDUP Angel Salazar from second base

with a single in the seventh inning to break a 2-2 tie. The Cubs added a run in the seventh when shorstop Garry Templeton failed to handle a throw to

score from second base. The complete game was the eighth of the year for Maddux. The 22-year-old right-hander allowed nine hits, struck out four and walked two.

"It felt like it was an uphill battle the whole way," Maddux said. They had runners in scoring position all day but never cashed in,

next season. It will not be used in

the 1990 game, which is scheduled

game, but they do bat sometimes.

The use of the designated hitter in

the World Series changed in 1986. From 1976 through 1985, the desig-

nated hitter was used in the World

Series in alternate years. Beginning

in 1986, though, teams were permit-

ted to use designated hitters in

has been brought up.

"One of the most difficult parts is that you've never seen the pitchers, sometimes and make the contract of the Cubs.

through the season. I've just had all The Cubs took a 1-0 lead in the

winning RBI on Sunday to pace the first inning on the 15th home run of the season by Andre Dawson, who was celebrating his 34th birthday. The Padres tied it in the bottom ning streak to nine games, drove in of the inning when Roberto Alomar singled, moved to second on a balk and scored on a single by Tony Gwynn.

The Cubs took a 2-1 lead in the third when Jim Sundberg led off with his second home run of the year. The Padres tied it again in the fourth on a single by Tim Flannery and an RBI double by Templeton. Expos 4, Braves 2: In Atlanta, Tom Foley singled in the go-ahead rup with one out in the 13th inning as the Expos won their seventh straight and 10th in 11 games.

Pinch-hitter Graig Nettles opened the 13th with a single off Bruce Sutter. Tim Wallach struck out, Mike Fitzgerald hit a pop-fly single to center and Foley singled to score pinch-runner Pascual Pe-

Fitzgerald scored on Luis Rivera's hard grounder that hit Sutter in the face. Sutter managed to get Rivera, but Fitzgerald scored.

Giants 2, Cardinals 1: In San Francisco, Terry Mulholland pitched a five-hitter, Mike Aldrete homered and Jose Uribe singled in with home runs off Whitey Ford major-league batting champion last its all-star debut at Anaheim Stadiand Early Wynn, agreed. the winning run as the Giants won their lifth straight.

Mulholland struck out five and walked one in making his second start of the season. Danny Cox allowed two runs on seven hits with seven strikeouts as St. Louis lost its

The logic of using the designated hitter in the All-Star Game is that it sixth straight.
Pirates 7, Dodgers 2: In Los Angeles, Bob Walk posted his 10th victory and R.J. Reynolds drove in permits more hitters to appear, thus making the managers' job of selecting players easier. Pitchers often are three runs to pace Pittsburgh. removed for pinch-hitters in the In sweeping a three-game series

with the Dodgers, the Pirates ran their winning streak to five games. Walk allowed just one earned run over eight innings. He struck out none, walked one and yielded five hits in winning his fifth straight. Walk has not lost since a June 2 loss to Montreal. He is the first

games played in American League Pirate with 10 victories at the Allparks every year. The designated hitter cannot be used in games Star break since Don Robinson in played in National League parks. 1982. Reynolds drove in his three runs The American League adopted with a triple and a single off Orel

the designated hitter for the 1973 Hershiser, who gave up six runs in season as a way of increasing run 51/2 innings as he lost to Pittsburgh production. The National League, for the second time this year. however, has always voted down White Sox 4, Red Sox 1: In Chithe designated hitter whenever it

cago, Dave LaPoint allowed three ■ Viola and Gooden to Start

Nits in seven shutout innings and Greg Walker doubled home two Frank Viola of the Minnesota runs in the first, Steve Curry lost in Iwins and Dwight Gooden of the his major-league debut, yielding New York Mets were named on three runs on four hits and seven Monday to be the starting pitchers walks in 41/3 innings. Two of the walks came in the Tuesday night, The Associated

Press reported from Cincinnati. Vi- first inning to Gary Redus, the ola, the American League's top leadoff batter, and Dan Pasqua Ueberroth had said shortly after winner, has won his last five starts with two out. Walker drove them for the Twins. Gooden will be mak- both home with his double.

ing his fourth all-star appearance Steve Leyons's sacrifice fly in the and second start for the National fourth made it 3-0 and Harold League. He started in 1986, when Baines hit an RBI double off Mike Smithson in the sixth. (UPI, AP)

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Stolen Basses: GYoung, Houston, 47; Coleman, 51. Louis, 45; Saba, Cincinnant, 23; Osmith, 51. Louis, 27; McGee, St. Louis, 24.
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Detroit, 10-3, 766, 139; Yanana, Detroif, 11-4,
733, 4-0. Russ: Bands, Pittsburgh, 65: Galarrosa, Mantreal, 65; Gilson, Los Angeles, 61: Butter, San Francisco, 60: Clark, San Francisco. 57: Strawberry, New York, 57. Strawberry, New York, 59.

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Pittsburgh, 99: Brooks, Montreal, 55: Golor-rope, Montreal, 55: Strawberry, New York, 55. Hits: Galarropa, Montreal, 118: McGee, 5t. Louis, 113: Palmeira, Chicapa, 107: Dawson, Chicapa, 100: Coleman, St. Louis, 98: Vans-Ivia, Pittsburgh, 98. Deeblas: Saba, Clocimani, 32; Hayes, Philo-debhia, 27: Galarropa, Montreal, 20: Bream, Pittsburgh, 24: Palmeira, Chicapa, 24. Strikeouts: Clemens, Boston, 186; Longston, Seattle, 133; Guztnan, Texas, 110; Hough, Texas, 164; Viola, Minnesota, 184.

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American League AND—Colloned Jay Bell, short CLEVELAND—Optioned Jay Bell, short-dop, to Colorado Springs of the Pacific Coast

to the New York Mets for Gene Walter, pitcher. TORONTO—Optioned Mark Eichhorn and David Wells, pitchers, to Syrocuse of the In-ternational League. FOOTBALL

POOTBALL
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EDMONTON—Released Jimmie Corter
and Terry Jones, linebackers; Jeremy Gordon and Greg Kratzer, wide receivers; Tom Moskel, defensive end; Rudy Phillips and Croig Watson, puerds; Alichoel Thorman, cornerback; Gus Alevizos, offensive line-man; Tom Houg, Alike Kornak, and Greg Vovra, running backs, and Stephen Kasawski, kicker. Suspended Banko Vincia, defensive

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running back: David Daniels, Floyd Salazar, and Terry Noble, detensive backs; Keith Gloster, Melvin Houston, Stanley Johnson, Paul Shorten and Parnall Moore, wide receiv-

Pgul Shorten and Parnell Meare, wide receivers, and Nolan Harber, linebacker.
Wi NNI PEG—Released Walter Bender, Michael Leblanc, Michael Meredith, Willard Reaves and Darny Robinson, running backs; Anthony Jones and Jeff Tedford, quarterbacks; Laurie Sinctair and David Stantey, linebackers; Michael Allen, defensive backs; Ed McCartest, March Sean Dr. Turkin and Ed McQuarters_guard; Sean Orr. tackle, an

SIDELINES

Kansas Under Investigation by NCAA

LAWRENCE, Kansas (AP) - The University of Kansas, which won the national basketball championship this year, is under investigation by the National Collegiate Athletic Association for alleged recruiting violations involving the basketball program, the university said Monday.

Bob Frederick, the Kansas athletic director, said the alleged violations occurred from June 1986 to April 1987. He said the charges did not involve any member of the Kansas team that won the NCAA title in April. Frederick said Kansas was cooperating fully with the NCAA and ad hoped that the allegations could be resolved without an official NCAA investigation. The university was notified formally June 20 that an investigation was under way. The school has until Sept. 2 to respond. Larry Brown, the former Kansas coach who left in June for San Antonio of the National Basketball Association, said in a statement that he is working with the university to resolve the allegations. Frederick said Brown told him last month that he knew nothing about the alleged

Jobson Captures Liberty Cup in N.Y. NEW YORK (UPI) - Gary Jobson of the United States won the 1988

Liberty Cup yacht racing championship on Sunday, compiling a 10-1 record in the four-day event sailed in New York Harbor. Jobson, who captured his third Liberty title in the last four years, suffered his only loss in the competition's last race, to the defending champion, Peter Gilmour of Australia. Pelle Petterson of Sweden place second with a 9-2 mark. Bertrand Pace of France was third, at 7-4, with

les's King's Course. But Sandy Lyle, the Scot who won the Masters in April strengthened his position Bobby Jones spent nearly a month as one of the favorites in the British Open when he eagled the 72d hole to tie Jose Rivero of Spain for second place in the Scottish Open.

"Anything you can do to help you with the feel of these courses is important preparation for the British Open," Crenshaw said.

The popular Texan finished tied for second with Jack Nicklaus behind Ballesteros in 1979, and tied for second with Kite, Raymond Floyd and Simon Owen behind which he won after hitting a shot to Nicklaus in the 1978 British Open at St. Andrews. He also tied for Getting acclimated to the time fourth with Stewart in last year's

zone, weather conditions and the British Open, at Muirfield. Crenshaw flew from Chicago to Scotland last week and said: "By Thursday I was adjusted to time and the weather if you can adjust to such constant rain. I came to get my feet wet on this side of the Atlantic and get my bearings straight."

American pros came here to the Gleneagles resort to compete in the weather that baked English, Scot-Scottish Open, which was won Satsistency of highways, heavy rains They will be competing in the have fallen for 10 days. This rain 117th British Open, which starts interrupted Wimbledon a week ago Thursday at Royal Lytham and St. but has not yet made an appreciable difference in the courses.

This weather did, however, softropean Tour victory at Gleneag- en the King's Course at Gleneagles

and Carnoustie

times in the first two days of the the British Open is largely the re-Scottish Open, missed the cut and sult of being in Europe for weeks flew to Lytham, near Blackpool, En- before the event. gland, to get his putting acclimated. putt each of the 18 greens to my year at Muirfield.

tions to Crenshaw's theory of prep-gration. Tony Lema flew in from this season, parred the second hole Tom Byrum, \$14,930

"But the ideal preparation has always been Jack Nicklaus's way,"

Crenshaw said. "He goes to places a week ahead of time. Then there are the said of time and the said of time are the said of time. Then there are the said of time are the said of time are the said of time. Then there are the said of time are the said of time are the said of time. Then there are the said of time are the was Ben Hogan's plan when he whose chip hit the cup, missed the prepared for the British Open at par attempt on the 17th hole.

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Bros Fonet, 64,200 Carnoustie in 1953.

won, never to return. He took it on like a general



Ben Crenshaw: Arriving a week early to get his bearings straight.

and inland from such British Open courses as St. Andrews, Muirfield Crenshaw, known as one of the

heart's content. Otherwise, I feel the trip to the Scottish Open was Sieckmann Wins U.S. Golf

well worth it. I'm settled in."

In his only British Open appearance, Hogan arrived at Carnoustie Golf Chub course in 14-under-par Donny Edwards, \$4.00 two weeks before the tournament, 270. Wiebe closed with a 3-under- Clork Burroushs, 54-20 played the course day after day and

going into battle," Crenshaw said.

Tom Watson, who won his fifth Peter Jacobsen and Sicckmann.

for the Scottish Open, which is British Open title in 1983, the last about 50 miles (80 kilometers) west triumph there by an American, enjoys preparing for the event by playing the Irish west coast courses at Lahinch and Ballybunion. Crenshaw believes that the regame's best putters, three-putted five cent success by European golfers in

Ballesteros, a Spaniard, won at "I haven't done that in 15 years," St. Andrews in 1984. Lyle won at Crenshaw said. "I'll go out on Roy- Royal St. George's in 1985 and al Lytham with just a putter and Nick Faldo of England won last

There have been notable excep- in four years on the PGA Tour who aration. Tony Lema flew in from
America just in time to get in nine
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> Wiebe and Sieckmann completed four rounds over the Kingsmill par 68 and Sieckmann a 69. Gene Sauers, with a 66, was at 272 with Kenny Knox, who began the day tied for the lead at 12 under with Peter Jacobsen and Sieckmann.
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Yes finishers and comines in the PGA Anheuser-Busch Golf Classic, which ended Sun Jay on the 6,776-yard, par 36-35—77 Kingsmil Golf Club Course in Williamsburg, Virginia

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Brod Tierney, offensive linemen PHOENIX—Agreed to terms with Michae Brim, cornerback, on a multi-year contract

ART BUCHWALD

Talking Back Dirty

WASHINGTON — Just before dinner I asked Ed Elson if I could use his phone.

"I prefer that you don't," he replied. "It's time for the junk phone calls to start coming in and I would hate to miss one."

"I didn't know you were turned on by junk telephone calls," I said.

"Answering them is my favorite pastime in the evening. I don't like to refer to them as junk calls -- to me they're really obscene calls because they come into people's houses without their permission. I don't care if

Buchwald the caller is soliciting business, raising funds or just taking a survey -he or she has a filthy mouth. So when I answer the phone I talk back dirty and it

makes me feel good." I admitted that I got my share of calls, but I never felt the thrill about them that Ed does. Ed said, "At one time they had human beings dialing our numbers now a lot is done by computers. Frankly, I don't like computer junk

calls because computers don't breathe heavily on the phone." "Do you believe junk calls are more harmful than obscene ones?"

Britain, Russia To Swap Actors

The Associated Press LONDON — A group of young Soviet actors will visit Britain in Scotember to train with the Roval Shakespeare Company and British drama students will go to Mos-cow, the International Foundation

for Training in the Arts announced The Moscow Art Theater School will send 18 of its drama students after that, until they get the mesfor three weeks' training alongside British actors at London's Barbican Centre. The return British visit

will be in April 1989. The foundation's executive director, Brian Cox, currently acting the title role in "Titus Andronicus" for the RSC, said the Soviet actors will live with British families while the British actors in Moscow will live in dormitories.

verts making junk calls to sell stuff than there are making porno ones. You have to understand, a porno-graphic call is initiated by the owner of the telephone. He has to call a number to get his kicks. A junk call is initiated by someone in a boiler room who's just getting paid to do

I said, "I think there should be a law against junk calls."

"You can't get a law passed by Congress because most of the legislators use junk calls to get re-elected. And others make them to raise campaign funds."
"Then you're dead."

"We have one chance. The courts have ruled you can't use the phones for obscene commercial practice. Well, what could be more obscene than a message from an insurance company, an upholsterer or a politician, when you break your neck racing through the house to answer

"You sound like you've given junk calls some thought." Ed said, "I may not know what pornography is but I know it when I hear it."

"I guess the reason that junk calls are legal is that they are not sexually explicit." "There are worse things than

something that is sexually explicit." "How's that?" What is more sadistic than being in the bathtub, worrying about your kid because he has the car, and having some pitchman in a basement ring you up to offer a free

trip to Tampa to see a new develop-

ment located in an Everglades

swamp? "You've spelled out the problem. What's your solution?"

"We have to call every congressman and senator at home after midnight and ask them to pass a bill banning junk phone calls. If they're not persuaded we must call them the next night, and the night sage about what an obscene weapon the telephone can be.

"Well done, Ed." "All I'm trying to do." he said, "is give our legislators a taste of what it is like to be in bed with someone you love when the phone rings and the voice on the other end wants to know if you would be interested in taking 10 free lessons in ballroom dancing.

For Liza Minnelli, 'It's the Best Time'

By Kim Masters

Washington Past Service
T OS ANGELES — Liza Minnelli doesn't want to talk about her mother.

She's gracious and accommodating. Her soft brown eyes eagerly seek yours. Just ask a ques-tion and she'll answer, smiling. even though she's answered it dozens of times before and even though this is her second day cooped up in a hotel room in Universal City, doing interviews to promote her new movie, "Arthur 2 on the Rocks." She accepts that everyone pos-

sesses a certain knowledge about her mother's death, her own bout with drug and alcohol dependency, her two divorces, her miscarriages. But she offers only a glimpse of her feelings on those subjects. She'll tolerate a little probing, then she closes up.

She talks for a moment about growing up as Judy Garland's daughter. Only as a teen-ager did she become aware that her mother was taking too many pills. "I thought, 'Gee. Oh, God. I wish she wouldn't take that. It's making her sick."

But how did it affect her? She rises from the sofa, "I have nothing more to say about my mom." she says with a quick, mirthless laugh. "I've said so much about my mom. I bore myself now." At 42, Minnelli leads a "real

organized" life with her husband. the sculptor Mark Gero, in New York, "I've been married for eight years, and the marriage is good," she says softly. "I'm having a good time in my work. I guess I could say it's the best time in my

But she balks again when the discussion turns to her unsuccessful efforts to have a baby. "We still hope to have a child, my husband and I, but I've left that in God's hands, and whatever happens is fine." Her voice takes on a note of finality; further questioning brings a rebuke. "That's my business and I won't talk about it. I never have. There was a guy sitting here at one interview - it was quite funny. I said, 'Let's talk about your scrotum for a while instead of my uterus."

Yet "Anthur 2" invites the questions. In a parody bordering on the grotesque, the plot involves themes that have played painful At this point, Minnelli hopes to roles in Minnelli's life. Married to concentrate on film — the area in



"I never thought I'd be doing a comedy about alcoholism."

which success has proved most

clusive. Her motion picture career

got off to a strong start when she

earned an Academy Award nomi-

nation for her second film, "The

the Best Actress award three years

later for her signature role in

had more misses than hits.

"Cabaret." But since then she's

"Arthur" was the last bright

spot, and that was in 1981. After

she still likes making movies.

REAL ESTATE

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GREAT BRITAIN

the childlike Arthur (played by Dudley Moore), her character learns that she can't get pregnant and sets about adopting a baby. even though the would-be papa is mostly drunk and has no visible means of support.

Minnelli says she doesn't mind the whimsical treatment of subiects close to the bone. "One of the things you look for in a role is stuff you can relate to, because you know you can understand it and therefore you can portray it well. And I understood it, but I must say I never thought I'd be doing a comedy about alcoholism and having trouble having babies." She laughs. "It's funny that life ends up like that and you can do a film about it and find some-

thing really funny in it. It's great." At this point, Minnelli hopes to

REAL ESTATE

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Two years ago, Minnelli did a

ond, it's much too much pressure.

You do it for the work process

because it's what you love."

television show about her father, the director Vincente Minnelli, featuring segments from his films (including "Gigi" and "An American in Paris"). "I realized how important it is that your body of work lasts and how wonderful it was that I still had that from my dad and from my mom. The work that you do isn't over in one night."
She is relatively fluent when she

discusses her experience with drugs and alcohol, publicized when she entered the Betty Ford clinic in 1984. "I didn't feel like l was in trouble until the last year before recovery, really, which was '83. I just felt so sick and so tired all the time. And there just came a point when I thought, 'I'm sick and tired of being sick and tired. Something's wrong.'

Minnelli says she never faced a

"Lost Weekend" epiphany. "I never went through that. I was never drunk in public. I was never this roaring alcoholic. Mine was like a sad little problem that millions of women seem to have. You can't sleep so you take a Valium, or maybe a drink will help you

Now, she says those problems have been conquered. "I was just so grateful that I lived through it and came out the other end.

Despite the tragedies in her life, Minnelli insists that her experience is not exceptional. "Every-one's had a difficult life. I'm no different from anyone else, 1 promise you. When I came out of the Ford center, for me to go back Sterile Cuckoo," in 1969. She won on a stage for the first time and have all those people looking at me - I don't think it was any harder for me to do that than it was for the lady who was in there with me who went back to her hometown and had to go to that first PTA meeting. We felt exactly the same. It's just a matter of where we were.'

that, she stayed off the big screen for years, returning in 1987 in the disastrous "Rent-a-Cop" with Burt Reynolds. Despite the risks Minnelli staunchly defends her and frustrations, Minnelli says ordinariness, even though she grew up in Hollywood. "You can "The finding of the character, imagine growing up with Candy the process is what's interesting Bergen and her parents -- everyfrom an actor's point of view. II. body's parents were famous. So nobody was different than anyyou always thought about the rebody else. And I didn't realize I sults, you'd go bananas. If you just think, 'I've got to have a hit. was different until we moved I've got to have a hit,' every sec-away from Hollywood."

The move was to London. when she was about 12. That was the first time I went to school where all the other kids' parents weren't famous. So it was the first time I was kind of different. I couldn't understand what the big

Minnelli wanted to be an ice skater - of Olympic caliber, of course. But at 13, she saw "Bye Bye Birdie" on Broadway and changed her mind. "It changed my whole life. I thought, 'That's what I want to do. I want to be on the stage.

Minnelli finished high school at 16 and went to the Sorbonne in Paris. "I was taking some ridiculous course - La Civilisation Française' or something. 1 thought, 'What am I doing?' — learning bow to cook in French. Wonderful. I want to go home and dance."

So she moved to New York on her own at 16 and got a role in an off-Broadway revival of "Best Foot Forward." She moved to Broadway, and her career advanced by degrees. "You just keep slogging along every day. In fact, I never had the benefit of a hit record to throw me up into a number one spot. I really went step by step by step."

Minnelli will keep singing: She will tour with Frank Sinatra and Sammy Davis for two months this fall (replacing the recuperating Dean Martin), and she just signed a new record contract. Her first album on the new label may feature songs written for her by Billy Joel and Elton John. "It's not really rock. It's not like I'm going to put on black leather and whip out there. It's just more modern

To Minnelli, these plans seem modest. "I want to concentrate on film. To do that, you can't kind of fit it in between singing."

The dramatic peaks and valleys of her life's story seem obvious material for a Hollywood autobiography, but Minnelli seems to have a limited taste for self-revelation. She quickly insists that she has no impulse to write. "I don't want to," she says tersely.

She hesitates, then ventures an explanation. "I guess I just feel that people should write a book at the end of their life," she says slowly. "And I certainly don't feel like this is the end of my life."

PEOPLE

Menotti Pleads for Aid For His Spoleto Festival The 31st Festival of the Two

Worlds in the Italian hill town of Spoleto entered its last week with an appeal by its founder, the composer Gian Carlo Menotti, for an urgent financial transfusion from the government. Menotti, who blew out 77 birthday candles last week, urged the Italian government to approve a law that would formalize state funding for the event. This summer, as in the past, the festival has had to beg banks for bridge loans to pay 922 performers in 81 productions while it waits to collect state subsidies. "We can't live so precariously any longer." Menotti said.

an assistant in a law firm and has a 3-year-old daughter, was the winner of the first British Belly Dancing Championship. She learned art in the United Arab Emirates and speaks Arabic. She competed against seven others in Mablethorpe, a far from exotic small town in Lincolnshire on the east coast of England. Performing under her stage name. Shareena, she collected a first prize of £150 (\$255), less than she used to earn in a single night in the emirates.

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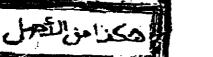


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